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HARRISBURG.

Proceedings of the Legislature—Bills Presented in the Senate—House Resolution for Additional Officers Reported—Revision of Judiciary System Suggested—Contested Election Committee.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

HARRISBURG, January 15, 1869.

SENATE.

ADDITIONAL HOUSE OFFICERS.

The joint resolution from the House, authorizing twenty-seven additional officers in the House, was reported from the Committee on Retrenchment and Reform negatively.

BILLS INTRODUCED.

By Mr. ERRETT: Incorporating the Allegheny County Savings Bank.

By Mr. CONNELL: Releasing collateral inheritance tax on bequests of George W. Fahnestock to the Pennsylvania Historical Society.

By. Mr. OSTERHOUT: Allowing interested parties to testify.

By Mr. BECK: Authorizing the admission of evidence of certified copies of instruments of writing from other States and Territories.

By Mr. WHITE: Relieving A. B. Heichold, Surgeon of the 105th regiment.

JUDICIARY SYSTEM.

Mr. WHITE offered a resolution instructing the General Judiciary Committee to consider the propriety of revising the judiciary system of the Commonwealth. Adopted.

Mr. LOWRY'S bill relative to the Erie Marine Hospital was passed.

Adjourned till Tuesday.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

BUTLER COURT.

Mr. LESLIE, of Butler, introduced a bill declaring and defining the jurisdiction of the Common Pleas Court of Butler county.

RECONSIDERATION REFUSED.

Mr. KLECKNER, of Philadelphia, moved a reconsideration of the vote by which his resolution against the excursion of North Pennsylvania Railroad was defeated. Lost.

FUNERAL COMMITTEE.

Messrs. Clarke, of Warren, Duncan, of Venango, Ames and Beatty, of Crawford, Rea and Stranahan, of Erie, were appointed to act with Senators Lowry, Randall, White, McCandless and Brown as a Committee to attend Darwin A. Finney's funeral at Philadelphia to-morrow.

CONTESTED ELECTION COMMITTEE.

The selection of a joint committee to try the contested election of Judge Hare, of Philadelphia, embraced nearly the whole time of both Houses. The Committee was: Senators Stinson, Taylor, McIntire, Brown, of Northampton; Representatives Ames, Clark, of Warren, Stevens, Miller, Meredith, Nicholson, Peters, Robb and Place—ten Republicans and three Democrats.

The House adjourned till Monday evening.

MEXICO.

Discontent with the Government of Juarez—Another Revolution Impending.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

SAN FRANCISCO, January 15.—Mazatlan advices to January 7th state that great discontent prevails against the Juarez Government. Open rebellion is soon anticipated. General Caroda departed for Acapulco on the 2d of January, *en route* to the city of Mexico, on leave of absence. It is asserted that his presence only prevented an open rupture before now.

The leader of the present contemplated pronunciamento is yet unknown, although Don Pizardo Vega is mentioned in connection with it. His well known aspirations are for the Republics of the Occident from Tepic to the river Colorado, including Sonora, Chihuahua, Durango, Sinaloa, and Lower California. A portion of Jalisco is claiming protection from the United States. General Martinez's name is also mentioned in the same connection. He was expected to arrive in the country by the next steamer.

Advices from Mazatlan to January 6th, report the rising of Gonzalas Cortega to force his claim to the Presidency. Negrete, Guiraga, Vargas and Canales are his supporters. The death of his friend Palone it is supposed caused Cortega to take this step.

Gen. Eulogia Parra has been appointed military commander of Sinaloa during the absence of Caroda. All persons who aided the Martinez revolution have been ordered to present themselves to the District Court.

The districts of Culiaciam and Macovito are suffering from putrid fever, causing terrible effect.

The Commissioners appointed by Gov. Rubi to report upon the losses of citizens of Sinaloa by the French invasion present claims amounting to one hundred and sixty-five thousand dollars, which were forwarded to the city of Mexico.

There is great dissatisfaction among the clergy in regard to the new militia law, which exempts no males between the ages of twenty and fifty. Several arrests have been made and fines exacted of clergymen. Bishop Leon was brought before the Courts, because of protesting against the occupancy of church property by the State authorities for a school house.

The legislature of Jalisco has authorized the Governor of the State to sell all the buildings belonging to the clergy, even those of instruction and benevolence.

The Apache Indians have committed horrible outrages in the State of Sonora. The national guard was called out to fight them.

Everything is paralyzed in Lower California. The mines are worked sufficiently to retain their title.

Southern Pacific Railroad Company—Annual Meeting.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

SAN FRANCISCO, January 15.—At the annual meeting of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, an entire new set of Directors was elected; Lloyd Levis, President, D. O. Mills, Vice President. The first section of the road, fifteen miles from San Jose, has been completed and thrown open to business. The new company promise to push the work vigorously. The road passes southwest until it reaches the thirty-fifth parallel, thence westward to where the State line strikes the Colorado river. The Southern Pacific Company have contracts for the purchase of the San Francisco and San Jose Railroad, which gives a continuous line from this city.

FORTIETH CONGRESS.

[THIRD SESSION.]

Petitions from Indians—Constitutional Amendment Reported—Baltimore and Ohio Railroad and Transportation of Troops—The Claim of Sue Murphy Recommitted—Sixth Georgia District Contested Election Case—Niagara Falls Ship Canal Bill Referred to the Committee of the Whole.

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, January 15, 1869.

SENATE.

Mr. HENDRICKS presented a petition from sixty-eight Miami Indians, residing in Indiana, relative to public lands occupied by them, and also introduced a bill on the same subject. Referred.

Mr. HOWARD presented a petition from Indians and persons of Indian descent, residents of Michigan, belonging to the Ottawa and Chippewa tribes, alleging great injustice to have been done them by officials of the United States, and asking a thorough investigation. Referred.

Mr. POMEROY, from the Committee on Public Lands, reported a bill to provide for the sale of certain lands on the sea islands in South Carolina.

On motion of Mr. DOOLITTLE, a resolution was adopted inquiring into the case of robbery last night on the Capitol grounds and the steps necessary to secure the better protection of said grounds, and better police regulation.

The Judiciary Committee reported adversely, with commendation that they be indefinitely postponed, bills to authorize the removal of certain cases from the District to the Circuit Court of the United States, to enforce the provisions of the Constitution abolishing slavery, &c., regulating elective franchise, and resolutions proposing Constitutional amendments guaranteeing universal suffrage, &c.; also the House joint resolution providing that no officers or clerk of an Executive Department shall practice or prosecute claims before it until two years after his time of service expired.

Mr. STEWART, from the Judiciary Committee, reported the following Constitutional amendment and asked that the Committee be discharged from the further consideration of the subject:

Article 15. The right of the citizens of the United States to vote and hold office shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or any State on account of race, color or previous condition of servitude.

Mr. STEWART reported a bill to relieve Wm. H. Bagley, of North Carolina, from political disabilities.

Mr. SHERMAN offered a resolution inquiring of the Secretary of the Treasury the amount paid to the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad for the transportation of men and supplies each year from 1861 to 1866 inclusive.

Mr. CAMERON offered an amendment asking for the amount paid said company above that paid other companies for similar services. He accepted an amendment by Mr. Whyte, extending the inquiry to the Northern Central Road, and explained that in in 1861 the Secretary of War arranged with the Presidents of the chief railroad companies of the country to transport men and material for the Government at two-thirds their ordinary rates; that all the companies, except the Baltimore and Ohio, had abided by that arrangement, but this road had full price. He wished to know the reason.

Mr. YATES introduced a bill to enable the people of Colorado to form a State Government, which was referred to the Committee on Territories.

The morning hour having expired, Mr. Sherman's resolution went over under the rule and the Senate resumed the consideration of the Sue Murphy case.

Mr. WILSON wished the bill sent back, because he did not believe the claim well founded, and because he had evidence which satisfied him that Miss Murphy had been a disloyal woman. He believed the whole question of paying claims of southern loyalists should be taken up and settled so far as to require no further attention from Congress.

Mr. HARLAN thought the proposed instructions unnecessary and unwise, the rule which governs the Court of Claims being all-sufficient.

Mr. WILSON modified his motion, so as to make merely a motion to recommit.

During the discussion the President presented the credentials of Senator Buckingham, of Connecticut, which were read.

Mr. BUCKALEW moved to recommit the bill, that the Committee might further inquire whether Miss Murphy had been loyal before the occupation of Decatur, Ala., by our troops, and whether she was the owner of the property before that time, and if so, how long.

Mr. SUMNER moved, as an amendment, a resolution instructing the Committee to consider the expediency of appointing a commission to investigate the claims of loyal citizens in the South, to classify those claims, and specify circumstances and evidence in each.

After further discussion, on motion of Mr. SUMNER, the bill and pending amendments were recommitted to the Committee on Claims, and the Senate adjourned until Monday.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. DAWES, from the Committee on Elections, reported in the case of the Representative from Sixth Congressional District, Georgia, that John H. Christie, having voluntarily given aid to the rebellion, is not entitled to a seat, that the contestant, John A. Wimpy, is not entitled to it because he did not receive a majority of the votes cast, and that the Committee on Elections be discharged from the further consideration of the question of removing political disabilities from John H. Christie, and that it be referred to the Committee on Reconstruction.

The report was laid on the table and ordered printed.

Mr. STOVER indicated his dissent from the report of the same Committee, made yesterday, in case of Anderson against Switzler, from Ninth District, Missouri.

Mr. INGERSOLL, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, reported a bill to incorporate the University for the Blind, in the District, with a substitute therefor.

After discussion, on motion of Mr. WASHBURNE, of Illinois, the bill was tabled—yeas 80, nays 63.

The House adopted a resolution inquiring whether an increase of force is necessary for the protection of persons passing by the National Capitol.

The consideration of the Niagara Falls' ship canal bill was then resumed.

Mr. JUDD spoke in support thereof.

Mr. BUTLER, of Massachusetts, also advocated the bill. In the course of his remarks he said that the gentlemen might feel no apprehensions on account of the canal running through Canadian soil, because, before the canal could be completed, that soil would be ours, not by conquest, not by purchase, but by the will and desire of a majority of its inhabitants.

The debate was continued by Messrs. Washburne, of Illinois, Bailey, Sypher, Spalding, Mullins and Chanler, against the bill, and Messrs. Allison, Logan, Barnes and Ingersoll, in favor of it.

Finally, Mr. DELANO moved to lay the bill and amendments on the table, which was negatived—yeas, 76; nays, 86.

After further discussion the bill was defeated by reference to Committee of the Whole—yeas 81, nays 60.

House adjourned.

GEORGIA.

The Legislature—Message of Governor Bullock.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ATLANTA, January 15.—The Senate and House re-assembled to-day and the message of Governor Bullock was read. He commences by announcing that on the seventh of December he addressed a communication to Congress, setting forth that the reconstruction laws had not been fully executed in Georgia. He then proceeds to state that the remarkable action of the Legislature, at its last session, had induced a careful examination of the law and the manner of its execution, to ascertain how it was possible such extraordinary results could occur. He argues that a strict adherence to the letter of the reconstruction acts would have prevented the overthrow of them, which has been accomplished by Georgia. Congress, he says, is the sole interpreter of the true intent and meaning of the reconstruction measures, and the final arbiter on the question of their execution.

In the body of the message the following occurs: "The fact that there is in Georgia no adequate protection for life and property and free expression of political opinion, is so well known and understood as not to need argument or presentation of the evidence which has reached me from many portions of the State. In fact, it is hoped that it may never become necessary to make public information which would reflect upon us as a people." He says Congress will undoubtedly regard the expelling of colored members by the Legislature as revolutionary, overthrow the government instituted by such acts, and will take into its own hands the adjustment of the difficulty, unless some effective measures are at once adopted to repair the injury. It is not desired that treason should be punished, but it is demanded that loyalty shall be respected, and, if necessary, protected. The Governor recommends the General Assembly to take the initiative for the settlement, by excluding members ineligible under the Fourteenth Amendment and restoring colored members to their seats, and in case it is not deemed wise to take this course, then to adjourn and leave the matter to Congress, where, in any event, the matter must be finally disposed of. He remarks, "We may be well assured Congress will not pause in the great work of reconstruction and regenerating until we fully acquiesce in the great fact that our late slaves are entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities of other men before the law, that until the same freedom from proscription which is granted to the most arrogant opponent of Congress is secured to the humblest Union man and friend of the Government."

He closes with congratulations upon the satisfactory condition of the State finances and valuable results obtained by agriculture.

ATLANTA, January 15.—The Senate, on the reading of the Governor's message, passed a resolution referring the portion relative to the State's relation to the General Government to a Committee of five; also, a resolution calling on the Governor to show the facts wherein he states that there is no protection for life, property and the maintenance of peace and good order, &c., and that it is the unwavering determination of the Senate to co-operate in all proper measures with other departments of the Government in offering full and ample protection to life and property and in the establishment of peace and good order throughout the State, securing to all classes and conditions of people the free expression of political opinions and effecting the faithful execution of the laws of the State and the United States.

The House passed a resolution referring that portion of the Governor's message relative to reconstruction to a Special Committee of ten.

SAVANNAH, January 15.—The preliminary examination of the prisoners captured on the Ogechee was commenced to-day. One of them, Capt. Green, was arraigned. The Sheriff identified him as one of the negroes who assaulted and robbed him and his deputies.

NEW YORK CITY.

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, January 15, 1869.

The police to-day are silent respecting the Rogers murder, but are supposed to be on the trail of a man who escaped from Sing Sing. An accurate description has been sent to every police station in the United States and Canada.

The meeting of representatives of insurance companies to-day was a long and earnest one, and seems likely to result in the appointment of a Conference Committee to harmonize the conflicting interests caused by the rebate system.

The Blaisdell and Eckel whisky fraud trial continued to-day, and the evidence indicates a conviction by the jury.

Inspector John] Leonard, of the Metropolitan police, died suddenly to-day of hemorrhage of the lungs.

The Congressional Committee of Investigation as to the alleged fraudulent voting in this city concluded its sessions to-day and returned to Washington.

A freight train, consisting of fourteen cars, on the Erie Railroad, was thrown from the track at Hancock last night and precipitated into the Delaware River. It is not known whether any lives were lost.

The American Bible Society have recognized seven new auxiliaries, three in Minnesota, and one each in New York, South Carolina Missouri and Wisconsin. Rev. E. G. Smith and Rev. Joseph Mosser have been appointed agents for Illinois, and Rev. W. McCandless for Nebraska.

Last night Hon. Richard Schell, of this city, gave, at the rooms of the Manhattan Club, a dinner to Hon. George H. Pendleton, who is visiting for a season in this vicinity.

Mrs. Elizabeth Birney, wife of the late James G. Birney, died at Geneva on the 12th.

This afternoon John O'Brien was run over and instantly killed by a train on the Erie Railroad, near Oxford, N. J. Two men and a woman, whose names are unknown, who were with O'Brien, were seriously injured. The train stopped, and while standing on the track was run into by another train, and the latter was badly smashed, though fortunately no one was injured.

Minnesota U. S. Senator.

ST. PAUL, Minn., January 15.—Mr. Ramsey has been nominated by a majority of one for U. S. Senate.

SECOND EDITION.

FOUR O'CLOCK A. M.

NEWS BY CABLE.

The Eastern Question—The Conference—Greece Bent on War—Affairs in Spain—Elections for the Constituent Cortez—The Brazil-Paraguayan War—The Army of Lopez Routed and Destroyed—The Alabama Claims—The Treaty Signed on the Basis of the Original Protocol.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

TURKEY AND GREECE.

PARIS, January 15.—The Conference on the Eastern question will meet again to-day. It is generally believed that this session will be final. It is reported on creditable authority that M. Rangabe, Grecian Minister, has been instructed by his Government to announce that Greece is resolved to reject the decision of the Conference, if certain demands in the Turkish ultimatum are supported by that body. All the indications are that Greece is bent on war.

A dispatch from Athens states that King George is preparing to retire to Naupala.

All the great powers, except Russia, have united in a demand upon Greece, that, for the preservation of peace, she withdraw her formal objection to the Conference as at present constituted. The powers have reason to hope that Russia will also concur in this demand.

PARIS, January 15.—*Evening*—The public newspaper reports that the Conference on the Eastern difficulty held a harmonious session to-day and adopted unanimously a conciliatory resolution. Mr. Rangabe was not in attendance. His continued absence is regarded as a refusal by Greece to recognize the Conference.

GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, January 15.—The treaty between the United States and Great Britain for the settlement of the Alabama claims has been signed by Mr. Johnson, the American Minister, and Earl Clarendon, the Foreign Secretary, on the basis of the original protocol.

The *Patrie*, of Paris, publishes a translation of the letter of Mr. Gladstone to C. Edward Lester, of Ohio, and proceeds to condemn the acknowledgment therein as humiliating England in the presence of America, and as likely to produce no little irritation and feeling against the Premier among his own countrymen.

A vessel which left Madeira on the 8th instant brings no tidings of the arrival there of the missing passengers of the steamer Hibernia.

The boatmen of Oxford University are eagerly expecting a challenge from the Harvard Club for a rowing match next summer.

SPAIN.

LONDON, January 15.—The Madrid journals are hostile to Duke Araosto as a candidate for the throne of Spain. The chances of Duke Montpensier seem at present improving. The *Gaulois* of Paris, however, thinks the former is the most available candidate and most likely to succeed if Spain declares in favor of a monarchy.

MADRID, January 15.—*Evening*.—The elections for members of the Constituent Cortes have commenced. The reactionists made some attempts to create disturbances at the polling places, but they proved abortive. With these exceptions good order has been maintained.

The provisional government has obtained proofs of the existence of a conspiracy, in which Generals Pezuela, Calonge and Manuel Gasseil are implicated. The persons named are under arrest, and if the charges against them are proved they will be severely punished.

BRAZIL AND PARAGUAY.

LISBON, January 15.—Rio Janeiro advices to December 24th, per steamer, state the allied army had made a vigorous assault on the Paraguayan strongholds at Villeta, and after a desperate battle succeeded in carrying them. Lopez's army was utterly routed and destroyed. The allies captured over three thousand prisoners of war. Lopez barely escaped with two hundred followers. This victory opened the way to Ascunsion, to which place the Brazilian iron-clads have gone.

PRUSSIA.

BERLIN, January 15.—The statement made by a Vienna journal that Prime Minister Bismarck had declared Baron Buest must be removed from the head of the Austrian Cabinet, is pronounced without foundation.

INDIA.

LONDON, January 15.—Dispatches from India confirm previous reports of the complete victory obtained by the Kahn of Cabool over his rebellious nephew.

JAPAN.

LONDON, January 15.—Advices from Hong Kong state the rebels captured Hokodadi, Japan. Foreigners and their property are respected.

FRANCE.

PARIS, January 15.—The *Constitutionnel* predicts that Greece will submit to the voice of the Conference.

MARINE NEWS.

QUEENSTOWN, January 15.—The steamer Russia, from New York, arrived last evening.

SOUTHAMPTON, January 15.—The steamers Baltimore from Baltimore, and Bremen from New Orleans, have arrived.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, January 15.—Consols, 92⅞; 5-20's, 75½; Erie, 26¾; Illinois, 63.

LONDON, January 15.—Tallow 47s. 3d. Sugar 36s. 6d. on spot. Calcutta Linseed 57s. 6d.

ANTWERP, January 15.—Petroleum 56@56½ francs.

HAVRE, January 15.—Cotton buoyant at 135@135½ francs.

PARIS, January 15.—Bullion in Bank of France decreased 12,125,000 francs during the week.

HAVRE, January 15.—Cotton buoyant; *tres ordinarie*, on the spot, 133½ francs, low middlings to arrive 136½ francs.

Body Found in the Ruins.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.

PHILADELPHIA, January 15.—A body was found in the ruins of Caldwell's store this afternoon, but it was so badly burned that it was impossible to identify it. It is unquestionably, however, the body of one of the missing clerks.

THE CAPITAL.

Nominations—The Case of the State of Virginia—Vacancy Filled—Unfounded Reports—The Convention of Colored Men.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, January 15, 1869.

NOMINATIONS BY THE PRESIDENT.

The President to-day nominated to the Senate Wm. H. Ewing, Postmaster at Seymour, Indiana; Cragin Reynolds, Assessor of Internal Revenue for Kansas *vice* T. J. Steenburg, to be dismissed; J. Babbitt, Postmaster at Cedar Falls, Iowa.

THE CASE OF VIRGINIA.

After many conferences between the Virginia Committee and its individual members with the Judiciary Committee of the Senate and the House, it seems pretty well understood that the following definite arrangement has been substantially agreed to: Following the precedent in the Missouri compromise, and other proceedings upon the admission of Oregon, Kansas and Nebraska, a bill will be proposed authorizing the admission of Virginia upon the adoption of the proposed Constitution, with the obnoxious clauses in regard to disfranchisement, the test oath, and probably some other objectionable features, stricken out. When this bill shall be passed it is believed it will be followed by an amnesty bill, either universal or with some few exceptions, to take effect on the ratification of the Constiution.

It is said this adjustment meets the approbation of General Grant, Secretary Schofield and a large number of the most prominent members of both Houses of Congress.

CONVENTION OF COLORED MEN.

The National Convention of Colored Men have adopted measures with a view to secure their objects, and express their belief that in Grant and Colfax they have found two honest men, who will exercise their utmost influence, as far as they may consistently, to place all American citizens without regard to their complexion on an equal political basis.

UNFOUNDED REPORTS.

There is official authority for stating that all reports to the effect that the Treasury has been engaged in the negotiation of any secret loans, are entirely without foundation, and there has been no increase in gold bearing bonds as has been recently asserted.

VACANCY FILLED.

The Supreme Court to-day filled the vacancy in the 5th Circuit, occasioned by the death of Judge Wayne, by alloting Judge Swayne thereto, in addition to the 6th Circuit, in which he is continued.

CONSULS RECOGNIZED.

The President has recognized Theodore Schwartz as Consul for Austria at Louisville, and Manuel M. Morales as Vice Consul for Mexico at San Antonio, Texas.

HAD AN INTERVIEW.

General Longstreet had an interview with General Grant to-day.

WEST INDIES.

The Insurrection in Cuba—The Revolutionary Proclamation Concerning Slavery—The Object to Utilize the Blacks—Cholera Raging.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

HAVANA, January 15.—All the journals publish accounts of minor engagements between troops and revolutionists, but nothing decisive is yet known to have occurred.

The original copy of the so called emancipation proclamation issued by the Revolutionary General Cespedes, has been received here. It does not, as has been reported previously, abolish slavery at once, but counsels owners to give their slaves their freedom, and leave the ultimate decision to the people, who at their pleasure may decide upon immediate emancipation, coupled with the indemnification of those owners who are favorable to the revolutionary cause and yet unwilling to part with their property. The General's principal object in the issue of the proclamation appears to be the utilization of the services of the blacks as a military necessity.

The journals continue to report that Valmazada has taken Bavamo, but this is still doubtful. Even if he had reached the town, it is not probable he would enter it. Spanish and Cuban accounts concur in stating that cholera is raging there.

Senors Ramerez and Tamayo left this city to-day, as a commission to consult with the insurgent chiefs and endeavor to bring about a compromise. Various meetings to consider the question of peace have been held at the residences of several prominent Cubans, but had no definite result. The Cuban Revolutionary Junta in this city has had several secret meetings, at which they have resolved to remain quiet, accept nothing from Gen. Dulce, and make no demonstration until they have heard fully from Gen. Cespedes as to the wishes of the Revolutionists in arms.

CHICAGO.

Police Officers Held to Answer for Manslaughter—Hotel Company Project—Important Revenue Decision.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CHICAGO, January 15.—The five police officers charged with the manslaughter of the late Judge Tyler were arraigned before Justice De Wolf at noon to-day. Not being supplied with counsel, they waived examination and were each bound in $3,000 bail to appear when summoned.

A bill has been introduced in the State Senate to authorize the construction of a mammoth hotel in this city by the Chicago Hotel Company. The capital is to be five hundred thousand dollars, with permission to increase it to one million.

In the United States Circuit Court to-day Judge Drummond decided, on two indictments, that the ruling of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, that a person's income includes debts and promissory notes payable in the future, is erroneous, and the parties indicted as having made fraudulent returns were acquitted, they having excluded moneys due them next year.

Cincinnati Matters.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CINCINNATI, January 15.—The insurance companies of this city insured property to the value of $4,300,000 in December.

The city councils to-day voted to refer to the Court the disputed question of the legality of purchasing additional Park property.

Five ladies will represent the equal suffrage association from this city in convention in Washington.

Hon. Thos. M. Key, formerly Judge Advocate on Gen. McClellan's staff, and for several years a member of the Ohio Legislature, died at his residence at Lebanon, Ohio, this evening, of pulmonary disease.

TENNESSEE.

The Legislature—No More State Bonds to Railroads that Have not Paid Interest Due—Shooting Affray in the Chancery Court, at Memphis—Homicide at Water Valley—Kentucklan Victimized.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NASHVILLE, January 15.—The vote in the Legislature on the resolution to issue no more bonds to Railroads that have not promptly paid the interest due the State, shows the temper of that body to be decidedly against any more aid to Railroads and the passage of the contemplated bill for the sale of the Railroads, urged by the Governor and prominent members of the Legislature, and augurs a brighter financial future for Tennessee. This latter will, it is estimated, bring over seven mill on dollars into the State treasury, besides several millions in bonds.

MEMPHIS, January 15.—A shooting affray occurred in the Chancery Court room this afternoon between Dr. Dickins and Capt. Patterson, citizens of the county, growing out of a suit, resulting in the wounding of the former in the hand and the latter in the arm. R. H. Thompson, a bystander, was shot in the leg and dangerously wounded. Chancellor Smith find each of the parties to the affray fifty dollars, and ordered them to jail for ten days.

Dr. Simmonds, formerly of Cincinnati, and lately of this city, was shot and killed by Daniel Markham, at Water Valley, Monday evening. Markham fled.

A Kentucklan named Jas. Uptigrove, en route to Arkansas, was swindled out of two hundred dollars by a confidence man this afternoon.

NEW ORLEANS.

Another Victim of the Glide Disaster—Testimonial to General Rousseau's Widow—Legislative Business.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW ORLEANS, January 15.—Brevet Major R. M. Maston, of the First Infantry, one of the victims of the Glide disaster, died last evening, and was buried to-day.

The Peruvian Minister has received a dispatch announcing the arrival at Pensacola of the monitors and tenders, having had a good run, the monitors making from six to seven knots per hour easily. They will remain at Pensacola for a few days.

Gen. Rousseau having died poor, a number of citizens are moving in the matter of a testimonial to his widow. Two meetings have already been held, and last night a committee of influential citizens was appointed to carry out the matter. General Rousseau's horses are now being raffled off by members of his staff.

A bill came up in the House yesterday and was read for the first time, totally abolishing the present city government, and creating one provisional, the officers of which are to be appointed by the Governor.

Two bills were also proposed for the abolishment of the present school government and providing for the appointment by the Governor of school directors.

SOUTH AMERICA.

The Brazil-Paraguayan War—Disastrous Defeat of the Paraguayans—American Minister McMahon in the Camp of Lopez.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

RIO JANEIRO, December 24—via *Lisbon, January* 15.—At last accounts from the seat of war, the allies held Villete and Angostura. Many cannon and large stores of ammunition and provisions fell into their hands. The loss of the Paraguayans in killed and wounded in the recent battle is very heavy. A report from Paraguayan sources claims the allied forces lost six thousand killed and wounded in a battle which took place on the 5th of December.

General Argotta was mortally wounded in the fight.

General MacMahon, American Minister, was in the Paraguayan camp. A good understanding existed between President Lopez and the American Minister.

Pugilist Released.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ST. LOUIS, January 15.—Wm. M. Davis, pugilist, was discharged from custody today, Judge Dennison considering the evidence insufficient to hold him. Davis announces that he has retired from the prize ring and that he shall return to his calling, which is that of a sailor.

Markets by Telegrapn.

LIVERPOOL, January 15.—Cotton firmer, but not quotably higher. Sales, 20,000 Middling uplands 11¾a11¾; Orleans 11¾; Manchester market firmer and prices higher. Breadstuffs lower. California white Wheat 11s. 8d.@11s. 9d.; red western 9s. 8d@9s 10d. Flour 26s. 6d. Corn 36s.@36s. 6d. for old and 34s. 3d. for new. Oats 3s. 6d. Barley 5s. Peas 44s. 6d. Pork 92s. 6d. Beef 105s. Lard 72s. Cheese 71s. Bacon 57s. Spirits Petroleum 8d.; refined 1s. 7¼d. Tallow 46s. Spirits Turpentine 30s. Linseed Oil 30£ 4d. Sales of Cotton 156,000 bales, of which 20,000 are for export and 52,000 on speculation. Stock estimated at 300,000 bales, of which 79,000 are from the United States. Amount afloat, bound here, 310,000, of which 131,000 are from the United States.

NEW ORLEANS, January 15.—Cotton firm; middlings, 28½; sales, 5,000 bales; receipts to-day, 6,996 bales; receipts for the week, 26,447 bales; exports to-day, 9,392 bales; for the week, to Liverpool, 8,523 bales; continent, 4,831 bales; coastwise, 12,257 bales; sales for the week, 38,000 bales; stock, 124,657 bales. Gold, 136½. Exchange—Sterling, 148½; Commercial, 147½a148; New York Sight Drafts, ½ discount. Sugar; common, 10a10¼; prime, 12½a12¾, yellow clarified, 14a14½c. Molasses firm; common, 58a60c; prime, 67a68c; choice, 70a72c. Flour lower; superfine, $6a7; double extra, $7,40; treble extra, $8. Corn firm at 77a83c. Oats firm at 68c. Bran dull at $1,15. Hay dull; prime at $24a25. Pork dull; offered at $31; no buyers. Bacon dull and lower; shoulders, 14¾c; clear rib, 18¼c; clear sides, 18¾c. Lard dull; tierce, 19¼c; keg, 20¼c. Whisky quiet; Western rectified, $1 to $1,05a1,10. Coffee steady; fair, 14½a15c; prime, 16¼a16½c.

CHICAGO, January 15—*Evening*.—In the afternoon there was a fair movement in No. 2 wheat, which ranged at $1,12¾a1,13. Corn and oats inactive and nominal. In the evening wheat was dull, closing at $1,12¾ for No. 2 spring. Provisions quiet and lower; sales of mess pork at $28, cash; short middles 14c, cash. Lard 18¾c, cash; sellers for February 18c.

BUFFALO, January, 15.—Markets generally stagnant. Flour unchanged. Wheat nominal. Corn, new shade weaker; car sales 78c on track. Oats nominal; sales at 64a65c. Rye held at $1,50. Barley held at $2,00a$2 05 Peas nominal; sales at $1,45. Seeds firm; $8,50 for clover, and $3,50 for timothy. Mess Pork, lard and dressed hogs dull and unchanged.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 15.—Flour $4,75 a5,75, with light exportation sales. Receipts of Wheat large and more disposition to sell; large sales of good to choice shipping at $1,75a1,80. Legal tenders, 74.

The Pittsburgh Gazette.

[From the Boston Post.]

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Let Strychnine's generous juice abound!
Let Oil of Vitriol cool your brains,
Or animated atoms brew,
And fill your arteries, hearts and veins,
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II.

Wine? *That* died out in '58—
What fool would h've it back? And how?
The 'cup that *will* inebriate,
And never cheer," they tell us now
"The conscious water saw its God
And blushed." What of it? Don't you feel
That water knows the Druggist's rod,
And blushes now—with Cochineal?

III.

Ah-h! Fragrant fame of Kreosote!
Bewitching bowl of Prussian Blue!
Who would not soothe his parching throat
With your mild offspring, "Mountain Dew?"
Stronger than aught that racked the frame
And shook the mighty brain of Burns,
Surely, ye'll set our heads aflame,
Whene'er his festal day returns!

IV.

Bring on the Beer—Fresh Copperas foam!
With Alum mixed, in powder fine,
How could my foolish fancy roam
In search of whiter froth than thine?
Thy Indian Berry's Essence spread
Through amber wavelets, sparkling clear,
Benumbs dull Care—strikes Feeling dead—
And narcotizes Shame and Fear!

V.

Far down thy bubbling depths, Champagne!
Drowned Honor, Love and Beauty lie—
They fought th' unequal fight in vain—
Shall we, too, *merely* drink and die!
Sweet Acetate of Lead, forbid!
Fill every drink with pangs—and tell
What tortures could—and always did—
Anticipate the stings of Hell!

VI.

Then drink, *boys!* drink! We never can
Drink younger! and we never will
Be men, or aught resembling man,
While poisoners have the power to kill!
Amen!—From frenzy's screech of mirth
To maudlin sorrow's driveling flow,
We'll rave, through scenes unmatched on earth,
And not to be surpassed below!

MEN AND GENTLEMEN.

[From the London Saturday Review.]

We have no doubt that we have some time or other before now, commented on the marked difference between our own habits and those of the ancient commonwealths with regard to the ways of describing and addressing particular persons. It comes briefly to this, that we cannot, except in the familiarity of private intercouse, speak of a man without using some sort of a title, be it Lord, Sir, or plain Mr., while a Greek and Roman was simply called by his name. Closely connected with this is the difference in the way of addressing bodies of men, and in speaking of persons when the name is not mentioned. A Greek addresses his hearers as "Men"—*Andres*. To this he might add any qualification of nationality of office that might be needed; they might be Men of Athens, Men and Judges, or, as in the New Testament, Men, Brethren and Fathers, but "Men" is the universal address, whatever qualification may be added. Roman usage in this, as in the case of proper names, came one degree nearer to modern usage. Pericles could be called nothing but Pericles, whoever it was that spoke to or of him. But Cæsar might be called Caius, Julius, or Cæsar, and Caius, Julius and Cæsar were each proper ways to speak to or of him, according to the time, the place and the person speaking. So a Roman orator never addresses his hearers as "Men;" the formula is never "Viri," either alone or joined, like *andres*, with anything else. Romans are addressed as "Quirites," "Judices," "Commilitones," "Patres Conscripti," never as "Viri." This is quite in conformity with the far higher regard paid at Rome as compared with Athens to rank and office of every kind. In the Athenian form of address the common humanity of the speaker and his hearers is the thing which is put most prominently forward; the official descriptions something secondary. In the Roman form of address the official description is everything, and the common humanity is not put forward at all. This is not exactly the same as the modern style of address, but we feel that we are one step nearer to it than we were among the Greeks. There is no word in Latin, any more than in Greek, which exactly translates the word "gentleman."

There is certainly something very odd in the custom which, among our most modern European nations, requires an assembly to be addressed, and in many cases an individual to be spoken of, by some purely complimentary title. "Gentleman," "Monsieur," "Herr," are words which must, even in the most inappropriate applications, be ever on the lips of a speaker in any of the three chief European tongues. Nay, the orators who, at the present day, can still employ the speech of Demosthenes, address a modern Athenian audience, no longer as *andres*, but as *kurioi*. The English expressions, if one comes to think of it, are the oddest of the four. "Monseiur," "Herr" *kurios*, are instances of the custom, borrrowed, most likely, from the East, by which it is thought courteous for the speaker to talk of himself as a servant, and of the person to whom he speaks as his lord. In English the word "lord" has gained a more definite political sense than the words which answer to it in other languages. No assembly, therefore, is addressed as "My Lords," except the assembly to which the title belongs as a matter of strict political right. Yet the old form of address, "My Masters," is a translation almost literal of "Messieurs" and "Meine Herren." Modern English usage, however, requires that nearly every kind of assembly which is addressed directly—for the House of Commons is addressed indirectly—should be addressed by a title which is, properly speaking, the description of a particular class of society to which, in most cases, the mass of the assembly do not really belong. To address a mixed assembly as "gentlemen" is, in itself, as absurd as to address them as knights, earls and princes; it is far more absurd than the conventional self-abasement of addressing them as "Masters" or "Messieurs." But usage calls for it, and it is difficult to see the origin of this usage and of several usages closely connected with it.

We will not go about to undertake any task so perilous as that of defining a gentleman. Perhaps, speaking roughly, it may be understood to mean that a man holds a certain position in society, and that he at the same time behaves as a man holding that position in society ought to behave. This last qualification, or something like it is certainly implied in the modern use of the word. But it is very remarkable that it should be so. In itself the word "Gentleman" implies a certain rank, just as the word "Nobleman" implies a certain rank. But the word "Nobleman" is applied to a man quite irrespectively of his character. If the conduct of a nobleman be in any marked way ignoble, the contrast between name and nature may add point to a sarcasm, but the fact that he is a nobleman is not denied. But if the conduct of a man in the rank of a gentleman is unworthy of his rank, we do not scruple to say expressly that he is not a gentleman. Nay, we may say of the nobleman, or the prince, whose conduct is ignoble or unprincely, that he is not a gentleman. And, more curiously still, there is hardly one in any class who would not look upon it as an insult to be told expressly that he was not a gentleman. A tinker would, perhaps, hardly say in so many words; "I am a gentleman," but he would certaily resent being told that he was "no gentleman." And an assembly of tinkers would certainly expect to be addressed, not as "Tinkers," but as "Gentlemen," and there are cases in which it would be expedient to apply the words "this gentleman" even to the individual tinker.

There is something odd about this, something even more odd than those usages in other tongues by which some extravagant title, Excellency, or the like, is lavished upon everybody. In itself, to say that a man is not a gentleman is simply to state the fact that he does not belong to a certain rank in society, just like saying that he is not a nobleman. No one counts it as an insult to be told that he is not a nobleman, or rather the remark would be so wholly void of point that no one would make it by way of an insult. Yet, as we have seen, it is felt as an insult by a man of any rank to be told that he is not a gentleman. This shows that the word "gentleman" has gained a secondary meaning. And the fact that it should have acquired such a secondary meaning may perhaps be explained by the general facts of English history. In England the rank of gentleman was social and conventional, not legal; it was an affair for the herald and not for the lawyer. Deeply aristocratic as have been many of our customs and some of our statutes, the common law of England has never been democratic. As Hallam says, "It has never recognized gentlemen. There are only two orders of Englishmen, the peer and the commoner; a nobility, in the continental sense of the word, we never had. Whatever might be the fancies of heralds, there never was at any time in England the same barrier between class and class which in France distinguished the "gentilehomme" from the "roturier." And for the cause of this, as of every other fact in our history, we must go back to the earliest time. When the hereditary nobility of the Earls, in whatever that nobility consisted, gave way to the official nobility of the Thegns, the thing was done, once and forever. The Ceorl had always the chance of becoming a Thegn, and he kept it ever since. The backward change which happened in Normandy and other continental countries never happened in England; possibly the Norman conquest itself did something to hinder it from happening. The shuffle of landed property which followed on the Conquest—which rather, perhaps, was the Conquest—the confiscations, the grants, the exchanges, undoubtedly placed a powerful aristocracy of foreign birth in the highest rank of all. But in the secondary classes, the smaller landowners, the burghers, the inferior clergy, they had the effect of jumbling together people of all kinds of origins, noble and ignoble, native and foreign.

The fact has probably had a good deal to do with hindering the formation of any such impossible barrier as separated the "gentilhomme" from the "roturier" in France. The law never drew any marked distinction between the gentleman and the ordinary freeholder. As the gentleman had no legal privilege, there was nothing to hinder a man of one class from rising gradually into the other. We remember being struck years ago with the gradual rise of a Northamptonshire family in the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries. The parish church contains the tombs of four generations, described in order of succession as "Mercator," "Generosus," "Arminger," and "Miles." The family is that of Andrews, of Charwelton, one of whose members had the honor or dishonor of attending as Sheriff of his county at the beheading of Queen Mary Stuart.

All this has probably something to do with our English laxity in the use of the word "gentleman." It is an insult to refuse to a man in any pointed way, a title to which he may not have attained but to which he conceivably may attain. It is an insult to refuse to him a title to which we may fancy that he has no claim, but to which he may himself fancy that he has a claim. It would be absurd to call a man a Duke who is not a Duke, because the rank of Duke is strictly defined, and there is no doubt who are Dukes and who are not. But the rank of gentleman is not defined, and where the thing is possibly doubtful, each man takes to himself the benefit of the doubt. We, therefore, when people are to be pleased, especially when votes are to be gained by it, not only directly refuse the title of gentleman to no man, but even directly allow it to men of all conditions.

But from this there has come a curious reaction. It is said that in some parts of America the word "gentleman" is so universally applied to everybody that the word is beginning to have the distinctive sense of "gentleman." And something like this may be seen among ourselves. Men who have an undoubted right to the title of gentleman seldom apply the word to one another. If an undoubted gentleman uses the word "gentleman" to one of his own class, it is most commonly by way of special praise or blame, by way of asserting or denying that he is a gentleman in the highest sense. Otherwise, in simply speaking of A or B, he will commonly use the word "man." But the moment he gets among people of a somewhat lower grade than himself, he is forced to have the word "gentleman" every moment on his lips. He uses it if he speaks to an inferior one of his own rank; he applies it to all those among his inferiors to whom he wishes to be civil. In short, to speak of a man as a gentleman is speedily becoming a sign that you really hold that the person to whom or of whom you are speaking is not a gentleman.

A Nut for Geologists.

A remarkable discovery was made in the underground workings of the Star Mine. In a lot of ore sent to Davidson's mill at Silver Mountain, in September, 1867, for experimental test, there was found imbedded in the solid ore "an arrow-head of solid silver," four inches in length, having a small piece of the root of a tree attached to the point. The ore was taken from the vein at a depth of three hundred feet below the surface. This arrow-head was an inch broad at the base, where it was attached to the shaft, and split down about an inch, and pressed apart, evidently for giving it a better hold on the wood. At the point, it was about half an inch wide, and of the uniform thickness of an eighth of an inch. The silver was slightly alloyed with tin, but otherwise very pure. It was perfectly incrusted with rich sulphurets of silver, which, scaled off, revealed this wonderful relic of another age and people. This arrow-head and the ore which incased it I carefully examined while at Silver Mountain, last summer. It was in the possession of the Hon. Henry Eno, Judge of Alpine county.—*Nevada Letter.*

AT THE late meeting of the British Association, attention was called by Mr. Kohn to a process of manufacturing steel upon the open hearth of a Siemen's furnace, which is in successful and economical working in England. It is closely related to the idea of melting wrought iron by liquid pig iron, and thereby converting the whole into steel. The method is applicable to the conversion of old scraps of wrought iron and steel, including old iron rails, into steel, and the prime cost in England is about thirty-seven dollars per ton. By processes such as this and others recently introduced, like Heaton's, it is believed that the cost of steel will soon be not more per ton than the present price of iron.

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[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, January 15, 1869.

MONEY.

Money to-day easier than at any time since the stringency abated. The supply in excess of the wants of brokers and loans made at 6@7 per cent. with increasing business at 6 per cent. Sterling at 6½@6¾. Gold firm, opened at 136½, declined to 136¼ and closed at 136⅛@136⅝.

BONDS AND STOCKS.

Governments quiet and declined a fraction, but subsequently improved and closed strong, on the denial by the Secretary of the Treasury that the Government was now selling or contemplating such action. Coupons of 1881, 112½@112⅝; do. '62, 62⅝@62¾; do. '64, 109¼@109¾; do. '65, 109¾@109⅞; new do., 108¼@108⅝; do. '67, 108½@108¾; do. '68, 108⅝@108¾; Ten-Forties, 107⅜@108¾.

United States securities higher and more doing. Missouris, 87½@90; old Tennessees, 69¼@70; new do. 69¼@69½; North Carolinas, 66; new do, 63¾@64; Virginias, 58¾59; Levee Sixes, 68; do. Eights, 80; Georgia Sevens, 90; Alabama Fives, 63; do. Eights, 89.

In the stock market there was a well distributed business early in the day, which culminated in great buoyancy and activity, the prices being, in some cases, the highest reached on the present bull movement. The speculative feeling ran high on New York Central, Reading, Rock Island, Pittsburgh, St. Paul, and Northwestern, but the greatest advance was in Central, Rock Island and Northwestern. The upward move in Central was stimulated by rumors from Albany that the Legislature had been fixed, and that scrip dividend will be legalized. There was some heavy buying of Rock Island on the growing belief of large scrip dividend in the immediate future. Parcels of stock have recently been sent to London, which has also exercised an influence. Northwestern advanced on denial of the story of further issue of common stock, and the statement that 4,700 shares of preferred had been transferred on the books of the company to London account. Pittsburgh is very feverish and it is stated that the old party are in stock again. The general market closed strong. Express stocks were heavy and lower at one time, but all up again at close. The *Commercial* says the difficulties between the Express companies makes very slow progress towards a solution, and differences are likely to seek settlements in the courts. The American and Merchants Union companies offer to release the Adams company from the combination of the several companies on condition that the Adams Company issues to them the very modest amount of $300,000 of their stock, the consideration being the restoration to the Adams Company of the routes it surrendered to the combination. The Adams' stockholders are of course opposed to this proposal, and an application is likely to be made to the Court for an injunction restraining the Company from making such an issue. The advance yesterday on the Chicago and Quincy was on account of rumors of 40 per cent. scrip dividend.

Five-thirty Prices:—Cumberland, 38@38¾; Wells Express, 25¼@25¾; American, 38@40; Adams, 57½@57½; United States, 45½; Merchants Union, 14½; Quicksilver, 23¼; Canton 55@55½; Pacific Mail 123¾@123⅞; Western Union Telegraph, 33¾@34; Mariposa,5@6½; do.preferred, 21½@22; New York Central, 160@160½; Buffalo, Hudson, etc., 28; Erie, 38⅝@38¾; do. preferred, 63¾@64; Hudson, 131@132; Harlem, 132@133; Reading, 96½@96¾; Terre Haute, 42; do. preferred, 67@67½; Wabash, 63¼@63½; do. preferred, 76½@77; St. Paul, 75¼@75½; do. preferred, 94¾@95; Fort Wayne, 121@121¼; Ohio and Mississippi, 33¾@34; Michigan Central, 118½@119½; Michigan Southern, 90@90¼; Illinois Central, 144½@145; Pittsburgh, 88¾@89; Toledo, 104¾@104; Rock Island, 129@129¼; Northwestern, 83¼; do. preferred, 89@89¼; C. C. & I. C., 48; Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, 195; St. Joe, 18; do. preferred, 108; Lake Shore, 101.

Mining shares dull; Smith and Parmelee, 270.

Copper Stocks at Boston—Copper Falls, 15; Franklin, 13; Hecla, 70; Hancock, 3; Minnesota, 2; Quincy, 22.

Clearances of Gold Exchange Bank, $68,750,000.

SUB-TREASURY.

Receipts at the Sub Treasury, $1,846,353; payments, $1,149,767; balance, $82,060,119.

The quarterly bank statement shows a decrease of liabilities of $4,015,667.

Markets by Telegraph.

NEW YORK, January 15.—Cotton is a shade firmer; sales were made of 5,500 bales at 29¼a29¾c for Middling Uplands; also 4,000 bales sold in transit. Flour—Receipts were 3,180 bbls, the market is dull and 5a10c lower; 5,100 bbls sold at $5,70a6,20 for superfine State; western, $6.75a7,20; extra State, $6,50a7,65; extra western, $7,80a9,50; white wheat extra, $8,80a9,10; R. H. O., $8a9; common fair extra St. Louis, $9,50a12,50; good choice do. closing dull; California flour nominal at $5a8,25 for old; new, $8,50a11; sales of 400 bbls choice Oregon flour sold at $11,25. Rye flour is quiet and drooping; sales were made of 200 bbls at $5,50a7,65. Corn Meal is in moderate request and Brandywine sold at $5,20. Whisky is quiet and firm at $1,04 for western, free. Wheat—receipts were 94,765 bush, nearly all of which was California; prices slightly favor buyers with more doing; sales are reported of 75,000 bush at $1,57a1,61 for No. 2 spring, in store and afloat; $1,85 for red western; $2,10 for white California. Rye quiet; sales 600 bush western at $1,50a3,00; Southern $1,48. Barley in fair request and a shade firmer; sales of 16,000 bus Canada West at $2,15a2,16. Barley Malt quiet. Corn—receipts, 25,037 bus; about 1c better for new; sales of 48,000 bus at 92a95c for new mixed western; 96a97c for yellow western; 96ca$1,00 for white Southern; 88a89c for common straw colored Southern. Oats heavy; receipts, 3,000 bus, with sales of 32,000 bus western, afloat, at 78a78¼c; nominally 76a76½c for do. in store. Rice quiet. Coffee active and steady; sales of 14,298 bags Rio on private terms. Sugar steady and quiet; sales of 290 hhds Cuba at 11¼a11⅝c. Molasses steady; sales of 393 hhds and 30 tcs clayed at 40c, and 75 bbls New Orleans at 70a76c. Petroleum firm; sales of 450 bbls at 21c for crude, and 35c for refined bonded. Hops quiet at 10a18c for American. Linseed Oil firmer at 99c a$1,00. Spirits Turpentine quiet at 52a53c. Pork dull and heavy, with sales of 530 bbls at $29,00a29,25 for new mess; $28,25a28,50 for old do, $24a25,25 for prime, and and $27,50a28,50 for prime mess; also sales 250 bbls new mess, seller, February, at $29. Beef quiet, with sales 120 bbls at $9a16,50 for new mess, and $14a19,50 for new extra mess Tierce Beef steady, with sales 635 tierces at $27a30; prime mess $30a36. Beef Hams dull, with sales 150 bbls at $30a34. Cut meats quiet, with sales 175 pkgs at 12¼a13c for shoulders, and 14a17c for hams. Dressed Hogs heavy at 13¼a13¾c for western, and 14¼a14¾c for city. Middles dull and heavy, with sales 150 boxes at 14½c for Cumberland cut, and 15¼a16c for short ribbed. Lard heavy and lower, with sales 480 tierces at 18a19c for steam, and 19a19¼c for kettle rendered; also sales 225 tierces, seller and buyer, February, March and April, at 18½a19¼c. Butter steady at 33a40c. Cheese firm at 16a20c. Freights to Liverpool more steady, with engagements per steamer of 7,500 bush corn at 7¾d, and 15,000 bush wheat at 8d.

Latest—Flour closed dull, without decided change in price. Wheat dull; winter steady for spring, with moderate export demand. Rye dull at $1,50 for western. Oats dull at 76a76¼ for western. Corn steady, with moderate demand at 92a95 for new mixed western; old mixed western nominal at $1,07a1,10 in store and afloat. Pork dull at $28,75a29,00 for mess cash and regular and seller February and March. Beef steady and in moderate demand. Cut Meats nominal. Bacon quiet and without decided change. Lard unsettled at 16½a18¾ for good to prime steam. Eggs 33a34.

Dry Goods.—The Dry Goods market continues active for cotton goods under the recent advance in raw material, but closed heavy. Brown Sheetings firmer, with sales of Lawrence C at 17c. Atlantic A still continues at the same price, but the tendency is strongly upward. Bleached Muslins in active request and firmer. New York Mills are put up to 27½c, while Wamsutta is selling at 23¼a25c for all cotton fabrics. The tendency in fact is strongly upward. In Woolens the trade remains a little quiet but is still hardly established.

CHICAGO, January 15.—Eastern Exchange less firm at 1-10 premium selling, and 1-10 off buying. Flour dull at $5a6 for low grades to fair spring extras. Wheat depressed and ¾a1c lower on No. 1; sales No. 1 at $1,20a1,22; No. 2, $1,12½a1,13 cash, and $1,12 seller thirty days, closing at $1,12¾; sales No. 2 this afternoon at $1,13. Corn in fair demand and ⅛a¾c lower; sales new at 52¾a53½c; no grade, 48½a50½; No. 1, 64c seller March; 67a68c seller last half of April, and new at 53¾a54c buyer January, closing at 53c for new, and 49c for no grades; nothing doing this afternoon. Oats quiet, weaker and ¼a½c lower; sales No. 2 at 47a48c, and 45½a46c for rejected, closing at 47¾c for No. 2. Rye tame and ½c lower; sales No. 1 at $1,15a1,17, and No. 2 at $1,14, closing at $1,16 for No. 1. Barley weak and dull, 2a4c lower; sales at $1,65a$1,68 for No. 2, cash, and $1,66a$1,69 for sellers this month; closing dull at $1,65 on spot. High wines feverish, with sellers at 94c; closing with sales at 95c. Provisions dull and low. Mess pork $28,50a$29,00; closing at $28,25. Lard inactive; nominal 18¼. Green hams quiet, at 15½c; sweet pickled hams at 16c for buyers for the month; sellers, but no buyers, of shoulders at 11½c; rough sides 23½c; short ribs, 14c. Dressed hogs dull, 50a75c lower; closing dull at $11,25a$11,50 for soft, and $11,50a$12,00 for frozen lots, dividing on 200; live dull, 15a20c lower; sales at $9,50a$11,00 from common to good. Shipping beef cattle steady, less active, $4,50a$5,10 for butchers, and $6,75a$7,00 for medium to good. Shipping receipts past 24 houses, 1,064 bbls. flour; 44,292 bushels wheat; 41,925 bush corn; 16,151 bush oats; 2,204 bush rye; 3,875 bush barley. Shipped, 6,516 bbls flour; 8,398 bush wheat; 16,884 bush corn; 12,364 bush oats; 684 bush rye; 1,857 bush barley; 5,561 hogs.

ST. LOUIS, January 15.—Tobacco steady and unchanged. Cotton and Hemp; no sales. Flour dull and drooping, with no shipping demand; superfine $6,75; double extra $8a8; treble extra to fancy $8,75a11,50. Wheat dull and best grades nominally lower, with very little done; prime to fancy fall quoted at $1,50a1,90; spring dull at $1,32½ for No. 1. Corn firmer at 63a70c. Barley steady at $2,00a2,25 for choice to fancy spring. Rye sold at $1,25. Whisky 95c. Pork dull and lower; jobbing at $29a29,50. Bulk meats weak and lower, jobbing at 12½ for shoulders, 16 for clear sides, city packed, loose meat sold at 11½, shoulders 14¼, hams 15¼, Clear Sides and Bacon easier, jobbing at 13¼. Lard dull and weak, with no sales; choice not quotably at over 18½. Hogs lower at 9a10. Cattle steady and firm at 3a7. Gross receipts—Flour, 3809 barrels; Wheat, 3900 bushels; Corn, 2800 do; Oats, 12,000 do; Barley, 800 do; Hogs, 2000.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 15.—Flour dull and weak; prices unchanged Wheat lower at $1,17 for No. 1 and $1,10¼ for No, 2. Oats dull at 48 for No. 2. Corn steady at 62c for new. Rye firm and higher at $1,11 for No. 1. Barley nominal at $1,65 for No. 2. Provisions dull and lower. City Mess Pork $27,75a28,00. Hams 15¼a15½. Prime City Lard 18½. Receipts—2,000 barrels Flour: 53,000 bushels Wheat; 2,000 bushels Oats; 2,000 bushels Corn: 300 bushels Rye; 1,000 bushels Barley: 1,000 Dressed Hogs. Shipments—1,000 bushels Wheat.

PHILADELPHIA, January 15.—Flour dull; Iowa and Wisconsin extra family $7,25a7,75, Minnesota do. $7,50a8, Ohio do. $8,50a9,50, fancy $11a13. Wheat dull and declined 5c; red $1,80a2,00, amber, $2,05a2,08. Rye $1,60a1,62. Corn heavy and quiet and less offering; new yellow 87a90c, white 85a87c. Oats dull; western 72a75c. Cloverseed advanced; sales at $9. Petroleum higher; no crude offering. Provisions less active; Mess Pork $30a30,50. Whisky dull at $1,01a1,03.

LOUISVILLE, January 15.—Tobacco; sales of 77 hhds; market firm; lugs to medium cutters $4,50a17,25. Cotton 28¼c. Mess Pork $29,50a30,00. Lard 19a19¼c. Bulk Meats; shoulders 12¼a12¾c, clear rib sides 15a15¼c; clear sides 16¼a16½c, packed. Bacon; shoulders 14a14¼c; clear rib sides 17a17¼c; clear sides 17¾a18c, packed. Flour; superfine $5,50a6,00. Wheat $1,80a1,90. Corn 58a60c. Rye $1,40. Whisky; raw free $1,00.

MEMPHIS, January 15.—Cotton quiet and firm at 29c; receipts—1,484 bales; exports—157 bales; week's receipts—6,579 bales; do. exports—5,033 bales; stock on hand—10,167 bales. Flour quiet and steady. Corn at 68a70c. Oats at 65a68c. Hay at $24a25. Bran at 23a25c. Pork at $31. Lard at 20a21c. Bulk Meats firm, with sales shoulders at 12¼c; clear sides at 16¼c. Dressed Hogs at 11½12c.

TOLEDO, January 15.—Flour quiet. Wheat a shade better: No. 1 white Michigan $1,45, amber $1,70, do sellers for January $1,73, do to arrive $1,72½. Corn 1½c better; new 62½a63¾, new rejected 60c, kiln dried 65c. Oats unchanged at 56c for No. 2, Rye: No: 1 $1,29, and No. 2 $1,25. Barley: Canada $2,05. Clover Seed 25c better, at $9,25. Hogs $12,34a13,00.

BALTIMORE, January 15.—Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat dull; sales prime Pennsylvania $1,75a1,80. Corn dull; prime white 85a86c. Oats firm at 70a75c. Rye $1,45a1,55. Mess Pork firm at $30,50. Bacon active: rib sides 17¼c, clear sides 17¾c, shoulders 14½a14¾c, hams 19a20c. Lard firm at 20c.

CLEVELAND, January 15.—Flour dull and quiet. Wheat—sales 1,500 bush No. 1 red winter at $1,75; 3 cars No. 2 at $1,63. Corn—sales 1 car at 69c. Oats held at 63c. Petroleum firm, but inactive and nominal; refined held at 32a33c, in car lots; standard white at 34a35c, in trade lots.

IMPORTS BY RAILRAOD.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILROAD, January 15.—1 car metal, Union Iron Mills; 98 bdls hides, G N Hoffstott; 108 do do, Chas Keefer; 15 bbls whisky, 2 do brandy, 1½ cask do, 110 bgs screenings Jas S Finch & Co; 400 bbls flour, owners; 100 do do, John McDevitt; 100 do do, Watt, Lang & Co; 100 do do, R Robison & Co; 1 car middlings, McCune & Bro; 5 bgs buckwheat flour, S P Shiver & Co; 200 sks flour, W Haslage & Co; 1 keg butter, 1 bbl eggs, P Duff & Son; 2 cars corn, Bricker & Co; 2 do do, Scott & Gisal; 1 do do, J W Simpson; 17 cars iron ore, Shoenberger & Blair; 30 bbls buckwheat flour, 3 do rye flour. Little, Baird & Patton; 274 bdls handles, Postley, Nelson & Co; 30 nests washbowls, H Lamghamp; 4 pkgs honey, John Daub; 115 bgs rye, 60 do corn, 1 car corn, McHenry & Hood; 10 half doz brooms, John Porterfield; 1 car staves, Ralva & Robertson; 3 dressed hogs, J Allen; 1 car staves, M P Adams & Bro; 1 car hay, J McFarland; 151 green salted hides, 2 bales dry hider A Hammett & Son.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD, January 15.—240 bbls oil, Fisher & Bro; 400 do do, D M Edgerton; 800 do do, Model Works; 320 do do, Owston & Sowers; 160 do do, L Roes & Bro; 14 sks oats, 6 do rye, J Graham; 12 do do, 5 pkgs butter, 2 do eggs, Gallagher & Campbell; 46 bbls dry apples, Voigt, Mahood & Co; 51 sks rye, R Robinson & Co; 10 do do, H Rea Jr; 3 bbls flaxseed, 7 sks rags, John Wilson; 1 car metal, McKnight, Porter & Co; 1 do do, John Moorhead.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD, January 15.—12 cars iron ore, Shoenberger & Blair; 4 do do, McKnight, Porter 1 car copper, C G Hussey & Co; 5 cars barley, D R Galway; 3 cars oil, Wm McCutcheon; 1 car pig iron, Wm Smith; 1 do barley, J M Carson & Co; 60 half bbl herring, 70 do white fish, Arbuckles & Co; 25 do do, 25 do herring, Atwell & Lee; 50 do do, 25 do white fish, 10 bbls apples, H Riddle; 10 do larger beer, J Kessler; 30 half bbls herring, 30 do white fish, Thomas & Bro; 1 bbl oatmeal, 4 kegs pearl barley, Hagan & McCarty; 10 do do, Seghmyer & Veskamp; 7 bbls, 1 bx poultry, J Fulton; 34 crocks, 7 kegs apple butter, H Schnelbach: 50 sks corn, H Rea Jr; 1 bbl tallow, 1 do onions, 7 sks cornmel, 2 bbls beans, 2 do dry apples, 1 bx butter, Voigt, Mahood & Co; 1 car rye, D Wallace; 25 bbls whisky, J Bryan; 96 bgs corn, I Dickey & Co; 36 sks oats, Brown & Williams.

ALLEGHENY STATION, January 15.—1 car wheat, R T Kennedy & Bro; 3 cars flaxseed, M B Suydam; 10 bbls whisky, H Hespenheide; 12 hides, 5 calf skins, James Callery: 2 cars staves, Ralya & Roberston: 7 cars limestone, Superior Iron Co; 5 cars metal, Pittsburgh Iron & Forge Co; 38 bbls apples, J M Early 2 cars iron ore, Spang, Chalfant & Co; 2 bbls dry apples, 4 do beans, 1 do butter, Rose & Ewing; 3 bbls, H P Schwartz.

RIVER NEWS.

The weather continues soft and exceedingly unpleasant, which tends to retard business, especially at the landing, which is in a very bad condition for teaming. It was dark and cloudy all day, with a drizzling rain towards evening, and the snow is rapidly disappearing. The mercury stood at 38 nearly all day.

There was not a single arrival aside from the regular packets. The Camelia, from Nashville, was due last night, and will doubtless be found in port this moaning.

The R. R. Hudson, for Cincinnati; Grey Eagle, for Parkersburg, and Kenton, for Portsmouth, constitute the departures.

The New York, Captain H. C. Richmond, will positively leave for Nashville this evening, and passengers and shippers should bear this in mind.

The Messenger, Captain Jesse Dean, is announced for New Orleans forthwith, as is also the Maggie Hays, Captain B. C. Martin, for St. Louis. These are both tip-top boats.

The Hudson left here with a fair trip, and she has considerable freight engaged at Wheeling.

—The Sallie left Cincinnati for Pittsburgh on Wednesday.

—There was a rumor at Clarksville on Monday that a daily line of packets was to be organized, to ply between that point and Cairo.

—Cairo will probably send delegates to the Tennessee River Convention to be held at Chattanooga, Tennessee, on the 25th of next month.

—The Leonidas, Pittsburgh to New Orleans, and the Glendale, St. Louis to Pittsburgh, were expected to arrive at Cincinnati on Wednesday night.

—The Supervisory Inspectors of steamboats were to meet in Washington on Wednesday, we believe. In all, there are ten, who are required to meet in Washington annually.

—The Cincinnati *Commercial*, referring to the hard times which prevails among steamboats, very pertinently remarks that what is now wanted is reliability in boats and commanding officers, punctuality in time of departure as advertised, and a reasonable, uniform rate of freight. None but first-class steamboatmen can succed at present, the hard times having driven all the adventurers and worthless war crabbers off the river.

—The Helena *Herald* has the following concerning the price of freights the coming season: St. Louis to Benton, 4 cents; Chicago to Benton, 5 cents; through freight from St. Louis to Helena, 6 cents. The above are currency rates. The difference of insurance as between Chicago and St. Louis is decidedly in favor of the former, and the Garden City will unquestionably receive a great share of the mountain trade the coming year.

—The Cincinnati *Gazette* says: The tow boat F. W. Wilson, which had taken a tow of barges, loaded with coal, from Pittsburgh to New Orleans, passed up on return trip yesterday morning, with six empty barges and two flats. The Ajax, with a large tow of empty barges from New Orleans, was expected to pass up during the night. The Boaz, from the same place, with a big tow of empty barges, passed up Monday. .....The same paper also says: We were informed, yesterday, by a gentleman who ought to know, that steamboat owners in Cincinnati had lost $1,000,000 in two years. One gentleman, he says, has lost $200,000.

—The St. Louis *Republican* of Tuesday says: In the United States District Court yesterday the case of John Gleason et al. vs. steamboat Urilda was decided in favor of plaintiffs. One point in connection with the case is of some interest. It was a claim for wages. The men bringing the suit were employed on board the boat to make a trip to Fort Benton. The trip was made; but on the return of the beat the steamboat Zephyr was encountered, and an arrangement was entered into to take the load back to Fort Benton. The men refused to make the second trip without an increase of wages. The Captain sought the assistance of the military of Fort Buford, but finally an arrangement was effected and the trip was made; and the present suit originated out of the difficulty. Judge Treat held that the masters are required by law to take out shipping articles, and that when this is neglected to be done the presumption would be taken against the owners and in favor of the mariners. Judgement in favor plaintiffs was entered.

Rivers and Weather.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

LOUISVILLE, January 15.—The river is rising at the rate of an inch and a half per hour, with nearly twelve feet of water in the canal. The weather is clear and sloppy.

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OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAS CO., Pittsburgh, January 9th, 1869.

COKE.—REDUCTION IN PRICE. On Monday, January 11th, and until further notice, the price of Coke will be FOUR (4) CENTS per bushel in the yard at the works, and FIVE (5) CENTS per bushel delivered within the usual limit.

By order of the Board of Trustees.

Ja12:3S W. H. McCLELLAND, Treasurer.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Pittsburgh, Jan. 8, 1869.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. Sealed proposals for the construction of a Board-walk, on the following named streets, will be received at his office until Monday, January 18, 1869: On the Grey-stone pike from Forty-fourth street to Winebiddle street, on Winebiddle to St. Paul street, on St. Paul street to Main street, on Main street to Elm street. The Committee reserve the right to reject any, or all, bids.

ja7:c94 H. J. MOORE, City Engineer.

OFFICE CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, PITTSBURGH, January 11th, 1869.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—Sealed proposals for the Grading, Paving and Curbing of WYLIE STREET EXTENSION and LYNCH ST. REET, from Crawford street to Kirkpatrick street, will be received at this office until MONDAY, January 25th, 1869.

The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

ja11:d2 H. J. MOORE, City Engineer.

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OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Pittsburgh, January 7th, 1869.

NOTICE.—The Assessment for Grading Colwell street from Dinwiddie street to Gumbert's Eastern Line, is now ready for examination, and can be seen at this office until Monday, January 18th, 1869, when it will be returned to the City Treasurer's office for collection.

H. J. MOORE, ja7:c86 City Engineer.

NOTICE.—All Persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate of ROBERT JONES, late of Pittsburgh, de'd, will make immediate payment to the subscriber at his store in Temperanceville, Allegheny county, and all persons having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement.

JAMES RICHARDSON.

December 31, 1868. ja7:c73

NOTICE—Persons owning property fronting or abutting on Aikens avenue, in the city of Pittsburgh, will please take notice the report of viewers, in the matter of the opening of Aikens avenue, has been placed in my hands.

The assessments, if not paid on or before February 11th, 1869, will be entered in Court as liens.

J. F. SLAGLE, City Attorney, ja12:d6 106 Fifth Avenue.

NOTICE.—To all Persons Engaged in Hauling or Wheeling Rubbish or Ashes: You are hereby notified not to place any rubbish or ashes on the wharf. All rubbish or ashes must be taken to the Point. Any person caught violating the above notice will be dealt with to the fullest extent of the law.

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☞ **FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH** OF PITTSBURGH, W. S. Gray, Pastor, meets statedly in NEVILLE HALL, corner of Liberty and Fourth streets. Services every Lord's Day at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. The public are cordially invited.

☞ **PUBLIC LECTURE AT THE NEW JERUSALEM CHURCH**, corner of Wood and Sixth streets, on SUNDAY EVENING, January 17th. Subject—The order of Human Development: "And the Evening and morning were the first day." ja16

☞ **REV. J. F. LOVERING, OF** Concord, N. H., will preach at the ACADEMY OF MUSIC to-morrow morning at 10½ o'clock and evening at 7½. Evening Subject—"Every Man has his Work." All are cordially invited. Seats free. ja16

☞ **RELIGIOUS.—FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**, corner Beaver street and Montgomery avenue, Allegheny, JOSEPH KING, Pastor. Services next Lord's Day at 10.30 A. M. and at 7 P. M. Seats free and all are kindly invited.

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☞ **TO CAPITALISTS.—Parties** engaged in organizing the ownership of proposed extensive works for the convertion of the Iron Ores of Michigan, at a locality which possesses many peculiar advantages for economising cost of ore, fuel, transportation, market, &c., are in correspondence with one of the publishers of the GAZETTE, who will be glad to communicate with any capitalists in Pittsburgh with a view to investment in an enterprise that presents rare prospects of proving very lucrative. Reference, Mr. KING, GAZETTE OFFICE. ja1

CITY CONTROLLER'S OFFICE, Pittsburgh, January 13, 1869.

☞ **SEALED PROPOSALS, ADDRESSED** to the undersigned, will be received at this office until SATURDAY, January 16, 1869, at 3 o'clock P. M., for supplying the city with

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, for the Western District of Pennsylvania.

H. M. HERSHBERG, a Bankrupt under the Act of Congress of March 2d, A. D. 1867, having applied for a discharge from all his debts and other claims provable under said Act, by order of the Court, notice is hereby given to all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons interested, to appear on the 11th day of FEBRUARY, 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M., before SAMUEL HARPER, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, at his office, No. 93 Diamond street, Pittsburgh, Pa., to show cause, if any they have, why a Discharge should not be granted to the said Bankrupt.

S. C. McCANDLESS,
Clerk of U. S. District Court for said District.
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THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT on the 12th day of January, A. D. 1869, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the

ESTATE OF ADOLPH RODELHEIMER,

Of Allegheny City, in the county of Allegheny and State of Pennsylvania, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt, on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such Bankrupt to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said Bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at No. 116 Federal street, Allegheny City, Allegheny county, Pa., before JOHN N. PURVIANCE, Esq., Register, on the 25th day of February, A. D. 1869, at 2 o'clock P. M.

THOMAS A. ROWLEY,
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J. J. SHUTTERLY.

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WE PRINT *on the inside pages of this morning's* GAZETTE—*Second page: Poetry, "A Modern Drinking Song," Men and Gentlemen, Clippings. Third and Sixth pages: Financial, Commercial, Markets, Imports, River News. Seventh page: Interesting Miscellany, Real Estate Transfers, Amusement Directory.*

GOLD closed yesterday in New York at 136⅝.

LET the public mind be easy! General GRANT promises to select his Cabinet in time for the nominees to reach the Capitol before his inauguration.

THE testimony of General GILLEM, before the Reconstruction Committee, substantially confirms the public impression that the defeat of the Constitution was due to the violent, intimidatory nature of the rebel opposition. It is probable that a new election will be ordered.

THE SENATORIAL QUESTION reaches its solution in several of the States. The Republicans have nominated SCOTT to succeed BUCKALEW in Pennsylvania, SCHURZ in place of HENDERSON in Missouri, CUMBACK to follow HENDRICKS from Indiana. RAMSEY has been re-nominated in Minnesota, while STEWART and CHANDLER have been re-elected from Nebraska and Michigan respcetively. Maine, New York and West Virginia have not yet made selections.

REGISTRATION OF VOTERS.

The bill introduced by Mr. TAYLOR, the Senator from Beaver, will probably be found by our Legislature to avoid the objections which proved fatal to the law of the last session. It is evidently drawn with the greatest care and with the view not only to escape the former difficulty, but also to ensure the cordial support of the people irrespective of party.

On this point, it is pleasant to remember that, even in the midst of the recent bitter political contest, the principles upon which any wisely conceived system of registration must rest, received an explicit approval from an influential Democratic quarter. We are thus encouraged to anticipate the cordial co operation of the political minority in perfecting, at this suitable moment, those safeguards for the suffrage which all of us regard as desirable. There should be the widest and most exhaustive discussion upon the details of this bill, and by members of both parties who are willing to meet upon the high ground of a common public interest.

QUITE INTELLIGIBLE.

A New York journal recently printed a long and minute report of a conversation, in which General GRANT was represented as speaking with the utmost candor of a large number of prominent politicians of all parties. We had no confidence in this report and did not reprint it. But its sensational nature procured for it a very general currency in the press, so as now to induce General GRANT himself to put a quietus upon it, which precludes any further misunderstanding. He has authorized the public statement that these reports—

Purporting to relate conversations, or furnish opinions of his in regard to public men and public matters, are utterly without foundation. No human being has ever listened to or shared such conversations with him as those reported. General Grant would not deem it becoming in him to contradict the articles in question, if they simply affected himself, but as they are evidently published with a view to embroil his relations with prominent gentlemen, most of them his political or personal friends, or at least to outrage their just sensibilities, he thinks it best to deviate in this instance from his usual course, and pronounce the articles alluded to incorrect, indelicate and impertinent in an extraordinary degree.

THE JURY-LAW.

The bill which Senator ERRETT introduced in our legislature a few days since, for the partial repeal of the jury-law of '67, is confined, by its express terms, to Allegheny county, and does not purpose any change in the existing system for other counties. In this, our Senator faithfully responds to the clear preponderance of opinion among his own constituency, with whom the operation of the law of '67 has not been such as to command their approval.

It is well, in this connection, to remember that the present law operates in almost opposite directions, in a county like our own and in the rural counties of the Commonwealth. For example, with equal care in the choice of jury commissioners, it is well known to be vastly more difficult to secure the proper composition of intelligent and impartial juries from the population of a large city than from the country vicinage. The citizens best fitted for service on the panel are the very men who, here, find it worth their while to pay their fines for non-attendance, and stay at their places of business, leaving the panels to be filled with talesmen, who are more likely than otherwise to be, in many important respects, disqualified for the right decision of issues. In the country, on the other hand, it is found in practice, that a first-rate juror's daily avocations are very seldom of such pressing importance as to preclude him from obeying the venire.

Alluding here to a single point in the experience of the bar, in both city and country, we might specify other reasons in which the profession would also concur. But it is enough to add that the law which is not found to promote justice in Allegheny, is in fact regarded as invaluable in counties like Washington or Fayette. We are not surprised to learn, therefore, that the members of the country bar, acknowledging the law to be inapplicable to Allegheny, and that it should be so far repealed, also protest against interference with its salutary operations in their own counties. If there be any exceptions among the latter, their own members in the Legislature will doubtless represent them faithfully. We see no indications that our own Senator proposes to trench upon their province.

THE CITY WATER-SUPPLY.

The Consulting Engineer, Mr. W. MILNOR ROBERTS, has submitted to the Committee of Councils his "Preliminary Report" on the subject of the proposed new waterworks for the city of Pittsburgh. Printed by order of Councils, a copy of this very interesting document is before us. Professedly preliminary, and affording only approximative results for the information of the municipal authorities, we are bound to say that it exhaustively indicates the entire range of means for securing, with a wise forecast for the needs of our rapidly increasing population, such a supply of pure water as will be adequate for all the wants of the present generation. True, the preliminary surveys, made under the general direction of Mr. ROBERTS, have been hurriedly made and have been necessarily confined to the elucidation of the salient topographical points, touching upon the main question, but his own extended and minute personal knowledge of the local details has added materially to the information embodied in the report.

The first question for the Engineer to consider related to the extent of the needed supply. Having in view the past and present rapid growth of the city, and the uniform experience of other cities touching the increase of the rate of consumption with the advancing demands of health as well as luxury, it has not seemed advisable to assume less than 15,000,000 gallons as the proper daily supply to be at once provided for. Mr. ROBERTS, however, estimates the probable future demands at 30,000,000 gallons daily, being an allowance of 60 gallons for each person in a population of half a million, and recommends that the contemplated new works be so constructed that they can, by the simple introduction of more machinery, be brought up to that capacity.

The location of the new works is somewhat elaborately discussed. The question of finding a supply which can be brought in by natural flow, as in the case of the Croton aqueduct of New York, is discussed, and shown to be impracticable here, as no adequate supply at the required elevation can be found within an area of nearly one hundred miles.

The Monongahela river is considered in the report; but Mr. ROBERTS states that its flow at some seasons is less than 2,000 cubic feet per minute, or 21,000,000 gallons per day, which, at such times, is all required for lockage. It, therefore, will not answer as a source of supply.

The Allegheny is all that is left; and by going up as far as Negley's run, 6½ miles above the present city water works, or to Shade's run, 7 4-10 miles above—which latter he seems to prefer—water unexceptionably pure can be obtained, as that locality is above all the oil works and city drainage. Of the thin scum of oil which can sometimes be seen, and which comes down from the Venango oil region, he says nothing; for he knows that that has no effect upon water drawn from below the surface.

Pittsburgh is a city of very unequal elevation, which renders its water supply so much the more difficult and expensive. The present lower reservoir is 162 feet above the level of the Allegheny; but this is far below the greater part of the city on the hills, which is now supplied from a higher reservoir, being pumped again from the lower basin. But as we go eastward the ground rises. The plateau at East Liberty is 428 feet above the river, and Fort Herron hill, of which Mr. ROBERTS speaks favorably as the site of the upper reservoir for the new works, is 567. The lower or main reservoir he recommends should be at an elevation of about 250 feet.

For a supply of 30,000,000 gallons daily, Mr. ROBERTS estimates the cost of the works, including two miles of 20 inch main, and eighty miles of distributing pipes, at a total of $3,210,000; but for supplying half that quantity the cost would be only $1,743,000, including fifteen miles of distributing pipes.

Mr. ROBERTS recommends to the earnest consideration of the city authorities the use of water power, instead of steam, for pumping the water from the river. He suggests the erection of a dam of eight feet lift, and the use of turbine wheels. This method, he estimates, could be carried out at an original outlay of $3,098,000 for a supply of thirty millions of gallons daily, including all the main and distributing pipes before mentioned; but for a supply of fifteen millions of gallons daily, which is enough for some years to come, the cost would be only $1,285,000. The operating expenses would be greaty less. Taking the water power at Fairmount and the steam power at Pittsburgh as his data, he proceeds to show that to raise thirty millions of gallons daily 250 feet by steam power will cost $185,150 per annum; whereas the cost by water power would be only $64,688—a difference in favor of water power of $120,463 per annum.

We have thus given a brief synopsis of this interesting and important report—one thousand copies of which have been printed—to which we ask the serious attention of all our citizens. It is a question which comes *home* to us as hardly any other does. It will not do much longer for this city to draw its supply of water from the river at a point which was perhaps high enough up when first selected; but which now has three miles of dense population, together with numerous manufacturing establishments and oil refineries above. Our people can have as good water as those of any city in the country can boast; and Mr. ROBERTS has in this report shown them where, and how, and at what cost.

DIXMONT HOSPITAL.

The annual report of JOHN HARPER, Esq., President of the Board of Managers of the Western Pennsylvania Hospital at Dixmont, has been laid before us. It is a well written and interesting document, fully sustaining the literary reputation of its philanthropic author. We glean from the report that at the commencement of 1868 there were 247 insane patients at Dixmont; 179 have been since admitted, making the total number of 426 under treatment during the year; of these 131 have been discharged or died, leaving 265 in the hospital on the 8th of January, 1869. Of those discharged forty-four were restored, forty-three improved, and fourteen unimproved. There were thirty deaths. As the authorities having charge of the poor generally send the most excited and incurable of their insane to the Hospital, the incidence of death is greater with this class than among private patients, whose friends generally note the early symptoms of cerebral disease and seek in time the remedy. The general health of the inmates during the year has been excellent, and there is no cause to apprehend any disturbance of this sanitary condition.

The new wing on the eastern side of the building will be ready for occupancy at no distant date. The General Hospital in the Ninth ward is favorably spoken of, and an appeal in its behalf is made to the charitably disposed community, as it depends entirely on local benefactions for support.

The Treasurer's report exhibits the fact that only half the appropriation of April 11th, 1868, has been paid to the Treasurer, the other half, $50,750, is still undrawn from the State. The balance remaining in the Treasury, in excess of the above sum of $25,117.65 specially retained, is $1,676.63, which is the remainder of money derived from a loan of $10,000 made a few days since from the Bank of Pittsburgh on the note of the Corporation, indorsed by members of the Hospital Board, for the purpose of meeting a deficiency of means at the close of the year. There are still outstanding and unpaid, "Building" Warrants amounting to $796.00, and "Expense" Warrants amounting to $1,203.42. The Finance Committee are of the opinion that the money granted for special objects should not be diverted into other uses. The Trust Funds held by the Treasurer are the "Brewer Fuel Fund," invested as follows: $10,000 in U. S. Five-Twenty bonds, and $13,400 in City of Pittsburgh 5 per cent. Compromise Bonds; and the "Crawford Fuel Fund, of $10,000, in Five-Twenty bonds. There is now in the Treasury a balance of $26,703.00.

Upon the whole, the reports are very satisfactory, and develope with what care and efficiency the affairs of the Institution are managed.

RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE.

The death of the venerable Rev. Dr. Charles Elliott, late President of the Iowa Wesleyan University, at Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, will awaken pleasant memories among old Methodists, and many of the aged of other denominations, in this community, for his valuable ministerial services in this city and vicinity in by-gone years. Over thirty years ago he was appointed editor of the Pittsburgh *Conference Journal*, when it was started, now *Christian Advocate*, and in 1836 he was elected editor of the *Western Christian Advocate*, at Cincinnati, occupying that responsible post for twelve years, and was succeeded by Dr. Simpson, now Bishop, in the editorial chair. Subsequently he was re-elected editor of the *Western Advocate* for four years, and thence was transferred to the editorship of the *Central Christian Advocate*, at St. Louis, Missouri, where he spent four years. For several years he was President of the institution named. In all these responsible positions, he sustained himself with credit to the Church, and with marked ability. He was an author, too, of note. His work, especially on Romanism, is regarded as a standard in this country and Great Britain, and has been widely circulated. He has also written excellent works on Baptism, Slavery, and Church questions, relating to the polity of the Methodist Episcopal Church. After a ministerial career of half a century, this great-hearted Irishman passed to the better land.

The editor of *The Friend of Peace*, published in Chicago, represesents that the Young Quakerism of the West is showing great zeal and energy, and ungrafting upon the original stock a larger freedom than the denomination has heretofore exhibited. Quakers in the West do not hesitate to "sing in meetings," if the Spirit moves them so to do, and they happen to know how.

Quite an interest has been awakened of late among the Methodists in New York in regard to building chapels at different points in that city for the use of the masses. Wealthy members have been urged to lead off in this movement, by building churches and present them to the Church. Recently a gentleman, a master mechanic, contributed twenty to thirty thousand dollars, who had become interested in the city mission work. It is proposed to establish forty new Methodist chapels in that city.

The Universalist church at Gloucester, Massachusetts, the oldest church of the denomination in the country, being that which John Murray founded, who was the founder of Universalism there, has just been remoddled.

The Fourth United Presbyterian church, Allegheny city, is steadily growing in strength and numbers, under the efficient pastoral care of Rev. Charles A. Dickey, a young minister of fine talents. Since this congregation entered their new and beautiful structure, on the corner of North Common and Beaver street, some years ago, they have enjoyed a large degree of prosperity and great harmony has prevailed among the members. No better evidence of appreciation could be given of the pastor than the recent advance of his salary to twenty-five hundred dollars.

Considerable feeling exists among the Congregationalists at Chicago in regard to the right of female church suffrage; the majority of the ministers favoring the privilege. The discussion has extended to other denominations. Dr. Rufus Patterson of the Old School Presbyterian Church of that city, has declared that women have the same right to vote in church elections as men. The Baptists and United Brethren, we believe, accord the privilege to women. The Methodists have always allowed women to take part in social meetings, and hold the position of class leader, and, when the vote on lay delegation is taken in June, all women twenty-one years of age will have the same right to vote as the men. We presume any other reasonable privileges of this character will be cheerfully granted hereafter by the General Conference.

Special mission services have been held in the Roman Catholic churches in New York for several weeks past. A mission just held there in one of the churches for five weeks, has resulted, it is stated, in the conversion and reception into the church of fifty persons of other religious faiths. During the continuance of the mission the Eucharist was administered to nine thousand women and six thousand men.

The Old South Congregational church in Boston owns productive real estate valued at six hundred thousand dollars. The land was originally occupied as the site of parsonage houses. It is now covered by stately warehouses.

A good Orthodox divine lately asked the irrepressible editor of the *Independent*, "Why did those six Western doctors leave you?" "O!" was the reply, "because the patient is in good health." So says *Zion's Herald*, Boston. This paragraph is commended to the *Advance*, of Chicago, for a reply.

The *Jewish Messenger* scouts at the very idea of the *Israelite* of Cincinnati, that Jews should observe the first instead of the seventh day of the week.

St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church of New York city, after a sermon by the pastor, Dr. Ridgeway, and a brief statement by Mr. Cornell, President of the City Mission work of that denomination, took up a collection of three thousand six hundred and eighty-seven dollars. This is generous and worthy of emulation by other wealthy congregations.

Rev. Dr. Caswell, President of Brown University, (Baptist) said recently in the closing address at a Christian Convention in Auburn, "*I abandon all those things which separate me from my brethren.*"

St. John's Episcopal church, at Waterburry, Connecticut, was damaged on Christmas day to the extent of one hundred thousand dollars. Insurance only thirty-five thousand dollars. Cause: overheating the furnace, which is becoming a very frequent one from defective heating apparatus, or carelessness in their use.

According to the first annual report of the Cherokee National Bible Society, the contributions reached the sum of eight dollars and thirty-five cents. The day of small things is not to be despised.

The New York *Observer* notes the dedication of twenty-five new churches during week before last, distributed among the Presbyterians, Congregationalists, Baptists, Lutherans, German Reformed and Methodist, twelve of them by the last named Church.

Rev. Albert Barnes, the distinguished Presbyterian minister and commentator, thinks there are glorious things in prospect for our earth, and that it will be a greater thing to live for the next half century than it has been in the one that is past.

The Episcopalians in New York are feeling quite sore because the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Pennsylvania have refused to sign the testimonials for Rev. Dr. Doane, recently elected Bishop of Albany. Various causes are assigned for the course of the Standing Committee. The vote is represented as being unanimous.

A NEW TELEGRAPHIC INVENTION.

The new mode of telegraphing, for which the discoverer, LOOMIS, of Washington, asks consideration of the government, is thus described in his memorial presented to the Senate recently:

The nature of the discovery or invention consists in establishing an electrical current or circuit for telegraphing without the aid of wires or cables to form such electrical currents and circuits. As in dispensing with the double wire (which was at first used) and using but one, allowing and relying upon the earth to form one-half of the circuit, so "now I propose to dispense with wires and all artificial batteries, using the earth as now to form one-half of the circuit, and the continuous electrical element far above the surface of the earth for the other part of the circuit. In dispensing with the local or artificial batteries I use and rely upon the electricity forming this stratum far above the earth to supply the electric current for all telegraphing, as well as for light, heat, mechanical force and other useful purposes." The memorial reads much further, and Mr. Sumner, in presenting it, remarked that "it was either all moonshine or that an epoch had been reached in telegraphing that marked a most wonderful improvement in the science."

It was also remarked by another Senator that, before people ridicule the idea of a telegraph without wires or batteries, it would be well to remember that the original invention by MORSE was for a considerable time the derision of the world.

—In New York, John Marts was sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five dollars and to twenty-five days' imprisonment for cruelty to a baulky horse, having started a fire under the animal and burned him fearfully in a futile attempt to make him go.

THE COURTS.

Court of Quarter Sessions—Judge Mellon.

Court met at the usual hour yesterday morning, Judge Mellon on the bench.

NOT GUILTY.

The jury in the case of the Commonwealth vs. Baptiste Dotte, Bernard Hoffman, Peter Grant and Henry Kramer, indicted for riot, the facts of which have been previously published, returned a verdict of not guilty and directed that the defendants pay the costs.

VERDICT OF GUILTY.

In the case of Commonwealth vs. Geo. Forsythe, indicted for indecent assault, reported yesterday, the jury found a verdict of guilty of assault. The Court sentenced the prisoner to pay a fine of five dollars and costs of prosecution.

NOLLE PROSEQUI.

In the case of the Commonwealth vs. Joseph Lofink, Jr., indicted for selling liquor on Sunday, a nolle prosequi was entered, and the accused discharged upon payment of costs.

CONVICTED.

David Hobaugh, arraigned upon two indictments for assault and battery, his wife and daughter being the prosecuting witnesses, was tried and the jury returned verdicts of guilty in both cases. The prisoner was sentenced to pay a fine of one dollar and the costs of prosecution in each case.

ACQUITTED.

L. Wolf, indicted for illegal liquor selling, Wm. Shore prosecutor, was tried and the jury returned a verdict of not guilty, directing that the prosecutor pay the costs.

AGGRAVATED ASSAULT AND BATTERY.

William Norris was arraigned on an indictment for aggravated assault and battery, James Ford prosecutor, and plead not guilty. It appears that the parties worked together in Wood's Iron Mill, and that they got into a fight, during which the prosecutor was knocked down. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty, and the costs were divided between the parties.

FELONIOUS ASSAULT AND BATTERY.

In the case of Riley Jackson, indicted for felonious assault and battery, Alfred Cooper prosecutor, reported yesterday, the jury returned a verdict of not guilty of the felony charged in the indictment, but guilty of unlawful cutting. The prisoner was remanded for sentence.

The time for which the jurors in attendance were summoned having expired, they were discharged with the thanks of the Court. A new panel will be presented on Monday.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

—President Johnson has filled all the vacant cadetships at West Point.

—A dispatch from Harrisburg reports Governor Geary seriously ill with erysipelas.

—No organized opposition is being made to the re-election of Mr. Tipton as United States Senator from Nsbraska.

—Samuel Tryon, cigar manufacturer at Westfield, Mass., has failed for $50,000; assets about twenty-five per cent.

—Secretary McCulloch has ordered the regrinding of mutilated paper currency to cease. Hereafter it will be burned.

—At the caucus of Republican members of the Minnesota Legislature, Mr. Ramsey was nominated for re-election as United States Senator.

—The chairman of the Board of Directors of the Kansas Penitentiary, T. C. Sears, is charged with fraudulently obtaining a voucher for $3,218.

—General Arthur St. Clair Mulholland, a distinguished Irish American officer in the late war, has been appointed Chief of Police of Philadelphia.

—Internal revenue receipts are increasing, and for this month will reach twelve million dollars. The receipts for customs will also be very heavy.

—Smith's paper mill, in Seymour, Conn., was burnt on Monday night. A man named Amasa Trowbridge perished in the flames. Loss, $40,000; insured for $14,000.

—The Democratic members of the Maine Legislature last night in caucus nominated, as their candidate for United States Senator, Hon. A. P. Gould, of Thomaston.

—Gen. Stoneman, in his testimony before the Congressional Reconstruction Committee acknowledged that he was a candidate for the position of Supreme Judge of Virginia.

—A bore of six feet in depth through the Hell-gate rocks, thirty-five feet below the surface of the water, in New York harbor, has been successfully accomplished by Shelbourn's apparatus.

—Facts are stated throwing discredit on the story Andrew Reed, the western merchant, who alleges that he was chloroformed and robbed of five thousand dollars at Earl's hotel, New York.

—A meeting of the prominent merchants of Boston has been held, and a committee appointed to take the necessary steps to memorialize Congress for a renewal of the Reciprocity Treaty with Canada.

—Andrew Reed, a dry goods merchant from the West, was chloroformed and robbed, while asleep in his room, at Earl's House, in New York, on Tuesday night. Loss five thousand dollars. No arrests.

—The use of the Wisconsin Assembly Chamber has been tendered on Monday evening, and successive evenings, for a discussion of the political issues of the day by the rival candidates for United States Senatorship.

—The funded debt of the city of Philadelphia is nearly thirty-seven million dollars. The receipts from taxes last year amounted to nine and a quarter millions, and there were expended nearly eight millions.

—The Hampshire woolen mills, owned by Little and Stanton, at Huntington, Mass., were totally destroyed by fire Thursday night, together with a large lot of manufactured goods. Several adjoining buildings were also destroyed. Loss $75,000.

—The Board of Trade, of Toronto, held a special meeting Wednesday night to consider the Huron and Ontario Ship Canal scheme. Resolutions were passed condemning the scheme and advocating the enlargement of the Welland Canal.

—In Monroe, Green county, Wisconsin, Angelina Shroyer shot and killed Patrick Crotty, who seduced her two years ago, refused to maintain their child, and was insulting her when she fired at him. She is now in jail, but the people sympathize with her.

—A boiler in George Wood's brush handle shop, at Elizabethport, N. J., exploded yesterday morning. The boiler was thrown into Winans & Bros. tin shop, two hundred feet distant, killing Benjamin H. Winans, the proprietor, and John Regan, of Berger, N. J., a boatman, and seriously wounding Stanley Miller and four others.

—The Railroad Committee of the New York State Senate yesterday asked for instructions relative to the refusal of an Erie director to answer certain questions as to the disposition made of a large amount of additional stock, which he claimed was beyond the scope of the investigation ordered by the Senate. By a vote of fourteen against thirteen the Senate tabled the whole subject.

—A London paper states that Minister Johnson responded to a query from the Emigration Society respecting the naturalization of British subjects in America, as follows: "You will have no difficulty whatever if you become citizens of America and return to your own country, on being called upon to do any act here on the ground that you owe any allegiance to the Government of England. Whenever you return here you will be clothed with the protection of America, as much as if you had been born in America. We consider you in point of law a citizen born with us, entitled to all our rights, and that we are under obligations to protect you the same as we would those born on our soil."

Upon the latest railway disaster in this vicinity, the New York *Tribune* remarks as follows:

"The "Pan-Handle" Railroad approaches Pittsburgh from the West by sharp curves and embankments on the very brink of the river. After storms or freshets, its trains are always liable to great danger here from the sliding away or washing away of the track. No one can know this better than the officers of the road, and they have had warnings enough of the gravest nature, to make their neglect to have the track so thoroughly watched at such seasons that an accident like that of yesterday would be impossible, an act of apparently inexcusable criminality."

☞—Another terrible murder has been committed in Philadelphia. Thursday night two men, Joseph Donahue and James Dempsey got into a quarrel and after a desperate struggle Donahue drew a pocket knife and cut Dempsey's throat from ear to ear, causing death in a few moments. Donahue was promptly arrested and confessed his crime, but insists the act was done under great provocation and in self-defense.

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One of the most accurate ways of determining whether the lungs are in a healthy or diseased condition, is by means of listening to the respiration. To those experienced in this practice it becomes as plain an index to the state of the lungs, and is as well known to the operator as are the voices of his most intimate acquaintances. The belief that long standing coughs, and diseases of the lungs upon which they are dependent, are incurable, are fast becoming obsolete. One great advantage to be gained from this advance in medical knowledge is the earlier application of those who become afflicted with those diseases to some one competent to afford relief. The error which had taken hold of the public mind in regard to the curability of consumption, or rather non-curability, is fast becoming obliterated, and it is well that it should be so, not that persons should lose that salutary fear which would make them apply for a timely remedy, but that all might be induced to use remedies while there is any hope. It is the delay in these cases that fills us with apprehension and alarm, for if every one would make timely application of DR. KEYSER'S LUNG CURE in the beginning of a cold or cough, few cases would go so far as to become irremediable.

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OFFICE OF MONONGAHELA NAVIGATION CO., Pittsburgh, January 14th, 1869.

☞ **THE BOARD of MANAGERS** of the MONONGAHELA NAVIGATION COMPANY have this day declared a dividend on the stock of said Company of

THREE PER CENT.,

for the past six months, or ONE DOLLAR AND A HALF A SHARE, free from U. S. Revenue Tax, payable to the Stockholders or their legal representatives on and after MONDAY, the 18th inst.

W. BAKEWELL, Treasurer.

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PITTSBURGH, January 13th, 1869.

☞ **THE BOARD of Directors of** the COLUMBIA OIL COMPANY have this day declared a dividend, No. 32, of four (4) per cent. (two dollars per share) on the capital stock, payable MONDAY, January 18th.

Ja14:d16 A. F. McGREW, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAS CO., January 11, 1869.

☞ **DIVIDEND.—**

The Trustees of the Pittsburgh Gas Company have this day declared a dividend of TWO DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS per share, on the capital stock previous to December 15th, 1868, payable on demand at the office of the Company.

Ja12:d7 W. H. McCLELLAND, Treasurer.

NATIONAL TRUST CO., Pittsburgh, January 6, 1869.

☞ **DIVIDEND.—The Directors** of this Bank have to-day declared a dividend of

FIVE PER CENT.,

Payable on the 13th, free of tax.

Ja7:c88 ROBERT GRIER, Cashier.

BEN FRANKLIN INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 45 Ohio Street, Allegheny, Pa., January 5, 1869.

☞ **THE DIRECTORS OF THIS** Company have this day declared a dividend of

TWO DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS

per share, to be credited on the Stock Notes.

Ja7:c87 GEO. D. BIDDLE, Secretary.

MERCHANTS AND MANUFRS NATIONAL BANK, Pittsburgh, January 5, 1869.

☞ **DIVIDEND.—The Directors** of this Bank have this day declared a dividend of

FIVE PER CENT.,

On the capital stock out of the profits of the last six months, payable forthwith, free of all taxes.

Ja6:c75 JOHN SCOTT, Jr., Cashier.

OFFICE OF ALLEGHENY INSURANCE CO., No. 37 Fifth Avenue, PITTSBURGH, January 4, 1869.

☞ **DIVIDEND.—The Board of** Directors of this Company have this day declared a dividend of

TWO DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS

per share, free of tax, payable in cash on and after Monday, the 11th inst. C. G. DONNELL, Secretary.

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OFFICE OF ARTISANS INSURANCE CO., Pittsburgh, January 4, 1869.

☞ **THE DIRECTORS OF THIS** COMPANY have this day declared a dividend of

TWO DOLLARS PER SHARE,

out of the earnings of the last six months, to be credited on the Stock Notes. J. G. COFFIN, Secretary.

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☞ **OFFICE OF THE NATIONAL** INSURANCE COMPANY, corner of Federal street and Stockton Avenue, Allegheny.

DIVIDEND.—The Directors of this Company have declared a dividend of ONE DOLLAR AND FIFTY CENTS per share, free of tax, payable in cash to the Stockholders on and after MONDAY, January 18th.

Ja12:d9 JAMES E. STEVENSON, Secretary.

ALLEGHENY NATIONAL BANK, PITTSBURGH, January 4th, 1869.

☞ **THE BOARD OF DIREC**TORS of this Bank have declared a dividend of five per cent. on the Capital Stock out of the profits of the last six months, payable forthwith free of all tax.

J. 6:c40 W. M'CANDLESS, Assistant Cashier.

☞ **QUARTERLY DIVIDEND.—** FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Pittsburgh, Pa., late PITTSBURGH TRUST COMPANY. The Directors of this Bank have this day declared a dividend of three per cent. on the capital stock out of the profits of the last three months, payable forthwith, free of State and Government tax.

Ja5:c32 J. D. SCULLY.

PITTSBURGH, FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R. CO. OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY. PITTSBURGH, December 15, 1868.

☞ **THE BOARD OF DIREC**TORS of this Company have declared the regular QUARTERLY DIVIDEND (No. 20) of 2½ per cent. free of Government Tax, on the capital stock for the quarter ending December 31, 1868, and semi-annual interest of 3½ per cent., less Government Tax, on the Third Mortgage Bonds, payable on and after MONDAY, the 19th day of January, 1869, at the office of WINSLOW, LANIER & CO., No. 27 PINE STREET, to those registered at New York, and at the Office of the Treasurer, to those registered at Pittsburgh.

The Transfer Books will close on SATURDAY, 26th instant, at 2 P. M., and re-open TUESDAY, the 20th of January, 1869, at 10 A. M.

F. M. HUTCHISON, Secretary.

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NOTICES.

OFFICE PITTSBURGH & CONNELLSVILLE R. R. Co., Pittsburgh, January 14, 1869.

☞ **NOTICE TO BONDHOLDERS.** —Notice is hereby given that COUPON No. 19 TURTLE CREEK DIVISION CONSTRUCTION BONDS, due on the first day of February next, will be paid on and after that date upon presentation and delivery at the First National Bank of Pittsburgh. JOHN H. PAGE, Jr., Treasurer.

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DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HEREtofore existing between E. HOUSTON, JOHN BIGLEY and W. H. HOUSTON, under the name and style of E. HOUSTON & CO., was dissolved by mutual consent on the first day of November, 1868, JOHN BIGLEY retiring. All business of the late firm will be settled by the remaining partners. Those indebted are urged to settle their accounts on or before February 1st, 1869, as the business of the late firm must be closed by that time.

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PITTSBURGH, December 21, 1868. Ja8:e85

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, January 15, 1869.

Gold, which looked strong yesterday without any apparent excitement at 136½ to 136¾, settled down to-day at 136¼, with a dull market. There is neither cause for any advance in gold nor any desire to have it sell above present price, as it would materially interfere with the value not only of exports, and imports, but also of our domestic business arrangements. Our foreign bankers are making efforts to keep down quotations for the sake of selling exchange which is now coming on the market in larger amounts from cotton shippers. It would create an uneasy feeling in Europe, in regard to our bonds. The financial journals of Frankfort, Berlin and Paris speak highly of the introduction of a resolution in Congress denouncing all attempts to pay our bonds otherwise than in gold as dishonest, and express a belief that in the event of a Eupopean war, our bonds would be eagerly brightened up.

Bonds are dull to-day, and one fourth per cent. lower from this mornings prices.

Stock nearly unchanged but weak.

Closing quotations as received by Ph. R. Mertz: Gold, 136¼; Eighty-one's, 112; Five Twenties, 1862, 112¾; do, 1864, 109½; do, 1865, 109¼; do, 1865, new, 108; do, 1867, 108¼; do, 1868, 108¾; Ten Forties, 107⅝; Railroads —Cleveland & Pittsburg 1. 87¾; Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago, 119¾; Chicago & Rock Island, 127⅝; Chicago & North Western, 82¾; do Preferred, 88¾; Michigan Southern, 90¾; Reading, 95¾; Erie, 38½; New York Central, 150⅝; Ohio & Mississippi Certificates, 33⅞; Western Union Telegraph Co., 33; Merchants Union Express Co., 13¼; Pacific Mail, 122½; Adams, 51¾; Mining shares—Gregory, 3,60; Quartz Hill, 70; Smith & Parmele, 2,65.

—The Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad having passed from the hands of the directors that had placed the road upon a firm basis, by the neglect of its stockholders, has now passed into the courts, and promises to become as notorious as Erie has been in the past. On Wednesday, an injunction was placed upon the Road at Cleveland, and Reuben E. Smith appointed Receiver, on complaint of the President, J. N. McCullough. The extraordinary action of the directors calling for this action is set forth in the following address to the stockholders of the company by a minority of the Board of Directors:

Whatever may be the result of these legal proceedings it is well understood upon the street that the road is to be manipulated "Erie fashion," and numbers of investment holders have sold their stocks. This new scandal couid have been saved had the owners of stock taken care to have seen into whose hands their proxies passed, and they have no one to blame but themselves. It is much to the discredit of railway property, however, that ny party can go into Wall street, and purchase the control of a corporation for a few thousand dollars, and elect a direction that deliberately sets to work to upset the value of property in which they have no pecuniary interest beyond that speet in the purchase of proxies. The abuse of the system will probably cause all voting, except by ballet, to be abolished, and will prove of great benefit to all real owners of railway or other shares.

—Closing quotations received by James T. Brady & Co.: Gold, 136¾; United States Sixes, 1881's, 112; 5-20's, 1862, 112¾; 5-20's, 1864, 109; 5-20's, 1865, 109⅝; 10-40's, 107; 5-20's, January and July, '65, 108½; 5-20's, January and July, '67 108⅝; '68, 108⅝; June 7-30's, par less ¼; July 7-30's, do ¼; 7-30's, due Compounds, 119; Union Pacific Railroad, par; Central, par.

PITTSBURGH METAL MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, January 15, 1868.

The market is reported steady with a fair volume of business, in the aggregate, though we have but comparatively few sales reported. Some of the largest commission houses, it is said, have sold pretty heavily this week, both for present and future delivery, but we cannot give details, as the houses, above referred to, refuse to make a report of their sales. The following is all that we could pick up:

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100 " No. 1 Mill Iron..... 39 00—6 mos
100 " No. 1 Mill Iron ..... 38 50—6 mos
100 " Close Grade..... 38 00—6 mos
360 " Neutral Groy Forge... 39 50—4 mos

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130 tons Grey and Mottled.....$38 50—4 mos
100 " Neutral ..... 39 50—6 mos
180 " White F.O.B., at Harrisburg..... 31 00— cash

CHARCOAL.

100 tons H. R. Foundry..... p. t.

BLOOMS.

90 tons Rogers Juniata.....$108 00—6 mos
20 " ordinary..... 93 00—6 mos

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, January 15, 1869.

Trade in general merchandise continues dull; this is attributed partially, at least, to the inclement condition of the weather which has a tendency to retard out-door operations. The arrivals by rail have been comparatively light for some days past, but the deficiency is fully made up by steamboats, and stocks, generally are fully up to the demand. In values, there are no important changes, none at least, worthy of special notice.

APPLE BUTTER—Dull: 70 to 80 cents.

APPLES—In fair demand, and steady with regular sales at $3,50 to $5,50 per bbl, as to quality.

BUTTER—Continnes dull, and neglected but unchanged, 35 to 38, for good to prime Roll.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Dull at 4 cts.

CRANBERRIES—$20 to $22 per bbl.

BEANS—$3,50 to $3,75 per bushel.

CORNMEAL—$1 to $1,10 per bush.

CHEESE—Demand is reported a little better; sales Hamburg at 16 to 17; and Goshen at 19 to 20c.

CARBON OIL—Is firm and still tending upward; we now quote standard white, in a jobbing way, at 28 to 28½.

DRIED FRUIT—There is good local demand for Peaches at 12 to 13 for quarters, and 16 to 17 for halves. Apples, 10 to 11c.

DRESSED HOGS—Sales at 13 to 14c.

EGGS—Very dull; may be quoted at 25 for pickeled, and 30c for fresh packed.

HOMINY—Sales at $6,25 to $6,50.

HAY—There is no improvement in the demand for baled, and the market is dull and prices unchanged, $18 to $24 for common to prime.

PROVISIONS—Bacon is firm with jobbing sales 15 for Shoulders, and 19 to 19½ for Hams. Country Lard, 18 to 19 and prime City at 20. Mess Pork, $30,50 to $31.

LARD OIL—Is held firm at $1,35 for No. 2, and $1,65 for No. 1.

SEEDS—Small sales of Cloverseed at $9, and Timothy at $3,25. Flaxseed, $2,35 to $2,40.

SALT—Is steady but unchanged at $2 by the car load, and 10 to 15 cts higher for small lots in store.

GRAIN—Winter Wheat is still quoted at $1,80 to $1,85, but the demand is very light, and market dull. Oats in limited supply and firm but unchanged—64 to 65c on track, and 67 to 68c for small lots in store. Sales of Rye at $1,45, at which figure it is wanted; but above that, there are no buyers at present. Corn may be quoted at 80c, in ear, 82 to 83c for Shelled. Sale 200 bushels prime Ohio Spring Barley at $2; No. 2 Chicago dull at $1,85.

POTATOES—Dull but unchanged; sales by the car load at 73 to 75c, and in store at 80 to 85c.

POULTRY—Sales of Dressed Chickens at 12 to 12½c, and Turkeys at 16 to 17c.

MILL FEED—The following are the Pearl Mill prices: Bran, $1,10; Shipstuffs, $1,30; Middlings, $2, Screenings, $1, and Rye Shorts, $2.

FLOUR—Dull and unchanged. We quote Spring Wheat, $7,50 to $8,00, and Winter Wheat, $8,75 to $9,25 per barrel. Rye Flour, $7,75 to $8. The Pearl Mill quote their best brands, made of the best Wheat, as follows: Extra Family Flour, in barrels, at $9,50, and, in sacks, $9,20 per barrel; Double Extra Family, in barrels, $10,20, and, in sacks, $9,90 per barrel; Spring Wheat Flour, in barrels, $8,00, and, in sacks, $7,70 per barrel. The City Mills quote prices as follows: Extra Family, (Winter) in barrels, $9,50, and, in sacks, $9,20 per barrel; Double Extra Family, in barrels, $10,00, and, in sacks, $9,70 per barrel, and Spring, $8,00, in barrels, and $7,70, in sacks, per barrel.

TALLOW—Rendered, 11 to 11½c.

PEANUTS—$1,75 per bushel.

FEATHERS—Live Geese Feathers quoted at 80 to 85 to the trade, and 90 to 95c, in a retail way.

WHISKY—Sales Highwines, in a jobbing way, at 98 to $1.

PITTSBURGH PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, January 15, 1868.

The oil market was rather quiet to-day, especially in Refined, and while there is, as yet, no material change in prices, there was more of a disposition to sell than for some days previous, though no disposition to make concessions in order to effect sales. One of the effects of the recent advance in the price of oil is to stimulate development, and the number of new wells going down is said to be unusually large for the season. We hear it stated that the Columbia Oil Company at its last annual meeting, the other day, passed a resolution to expend fifty thousand dollars in developing new territory, and, we presume, that what is true of this is equally applicable to other companies. Nor is this to be wondered at, as with oil selling at $6,25 to $6,35 at Oil City, new territory will doubtless be developed, and a redoubled effort made toward putting down new wells.

REFINED

The market for Refined was unusully quiet to-day, and with more sellers than buyers, the feeling seemed to be a little offish, especially for early deliveries, though as yet, there is no material decline in prices. January which sold yesterday at 34, was reported as having been offered to-day at 33¾ to 33¾. January to June remains unchanged having been sold at 35, and 35 was bid for March.

CRUDE.

There was a fair volume of business in Crude to-day, but like Refined, the market was not as firm and bouyant as it was yesterday, and in some instances, sales were made at a slight reduction. As a general thing, however, there is no important change, compared with yesterday, here, while at Oil City the market was reported firmer. The sales were: 2000 bbls January to June, seller, at 15½; 3,500 same delivery and option, at 15; 1,000 same delivery and option at 15½; 1,000 all year seller, 14½; 2,500 June to August at 17; 2,500 September to November at 17; 500 bbls Venango City, $6,25; 1,000 Oil City; $6,35; and $200 paid for the privlege of placing 1,000 bbls first six months at 14½.

RECEIPTS CRUDE OIL.

Fisher & Bro.....	240	D. M. Edgerton.	400
Owston & Sowers	320	Roess & Bro.....	160
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McKee, Hackett & Co., 200 do do to W. P. Logan & Bro., Philadelphia.

P. Weisenberger & Co., 150 do do to Warden, Frew & Co., Philadelphia.

P. Weisenberger, 50 do tar to Libby & Clark, Philadelphia.

Total shipments Refined..... 734
" Tar..... 50

OIL SHIPPED EAST FROM DUQUESNE DEPOT.

F. A. Bates, 50 do do to Warden, Frew & Co., Philadelphia.

H. W. C. Tweddle, 10 do lubricating to Lecomb, Kohen & Co., New York.

Total shipments Refined..... 50
" Lubricating..... 10

CINCINNATI, January 15.—Flour and grain unchanged and quiet and not much doing. Cotton firm; middling 27c, with a strong market. Whiskey dull at 95c; Provisions dull but firm: Mess Pork and Lard nominal and no demsnd for either. Bluk shoulders sold to a considerable extent at 11¾a11¾c. Nothing doing in sides. Butter firm and in good demand at 34a40c. Cheese firm and in good demand at 18a20c. Petroleum higher; refined 33a35c. Linseed Oil $1.05. Lard Oil firm at $1,60a1,65. Gold 136. Exchange firm, par buying and 1-10 per cent. premium selling.

The Pittsburgh Gazette.

The First Napoleon's Company Manners.

People who take the J. S. C. Abbott view of the First Napoleon, may properly be asked to take a look at their hero when he was displaying his inbred gentlemanliness of character. It is curious, by the way, to note the very wide difference in this respect between the uncle and the nephew of his uncle—the latter not lacking a certain decided magnanimity and kindness, the possession of which lends some additional color to the scandal about the Dutch Admiral and the entire lack of Napoleonic blood in the present Emperor of the French. The story of the uncle, now for the first time published, relates to a dinner at Dresden, at the meeting of the sovereigns in 1812. The Emperor and Empress of Austria were present, and so, among others, were the King of Prussia, the King of Saxony, and the Crown Prince (the late king) of Prussia. As the story is told by Varnhagen in the tenth volume of his diary, which has just appeared at Leipzig, Napoleon, while at dinner, received some news which seemed to trouble him, whereupon, in entire disregard of the Empress of Austria, who was seated next to him, he leaned back in his seat and yawned without concealment; indeed, accompanied the yawn with a loud noise.

He then rose from the chair and began walking up and down the room in a hurried manner, the ladies and the sovereigns meantime awaiting his good pleasure. At last he stopped and called out in a violent tone, "Prince de Neufchatel!" (Berthier, his chief of staff and general factotum.) Berthier went to his master and received his orders. Next Napoleon called out in the same peremptory and insolent way, "Roi de Saxe!" The King duly obeyed, and a few minutes' conversation having been held with him, he also was summarily dismissed. After giving this proof that even his habit of conquering kings had not deprived him of an uneasy respect for kingship, though it had affected his manners unpleasantly, he walked over to the Crown Prince of Prussia and pinched his ear, remarking at the same time, "You resemble your mother a good deal." The Prince was silent. "Have you visited the fortress?" was Napoleon's next remark. "No," said the Crown Prince, shortly and disrespectfully, and, in his version of the story, that was the end of it—except that all his relatives were angry with him because he would not say "*Non, Sire*," but only "*Non*." According to Austrian accounts, however, Napoleon angrily closed the conversation by telling the Crown Prince, "*Vous etes une bete*"—a not unlikely conclusion, but perhaps one that would be more easily recollected by one's hereditary neighbors than by one's self.

Progress of the Suez Canal.

The latest authentic intelligence of the progress of the Suez Canal is satisfactory. There is very little doubt that it will be opened for navigation at the close of the present year.

It appears that the work is prosecuted with the greatest energy. Over twenty thousand men are employed. They are of all nationalities—Dalmatians, Greeks, Croats, Egyptians, negroes, with a sprinkling of the German, French and English elements. These men are organized in a manner that illustrates the administrative genius of the French people. They are all paid by the piece. They receive a certain price for every pail full of dirt they dig out, and have, besides, a direct pecuniary interest in the speedy completion of the work. There are, therefore, no idlers and no taskmasters, for all are willing workers.

The effectiveness of the large army of 20,000 men is immensely increased by the use of steam excavators, and dredges of the most novel and ingenious construction. Then there are hosts of asses, mules and camels; and the large floating population that feed, clothe, and lodge the toilers. All this has changed the face of the desert, which blooms like a garden wherever it is touched by the waters of the fresh water canal.

The Canal is about a hundred and twenty miles long, extending from Port Said, on the Mediterranean, to Suez, on the Red Sea. The steam dredges and excavators scoop out the sand and dirt like things of life. The excavated dirt, according to location of the work, is either floated away on lighters and emptied into the sea or one of the shallow lakes of the desert, or it is hoisted by elevators to form parapets of earth on the sides of the canal.

At first vessels of the larger class will be unable to pass each other. But it is intended to establish side basins or cut-offs, where the ships can turn in—the same as trains on a single line of railroad. The method of towing still remains undecided. It is in doubt whether to propel vessels through the Canal by means of steam tugs, by traction engines on the banks, or by an endless chain along the bottom of the Canal, to be worked by stationary engines at either end, or at intermediate points. The latter method seems to be the most desirable, though probably not the most feasible. The grand object is to diminish, as much as possible, the action of the water upon the sides of the Canal, and any plan that may be adopted will be in reference to this end. It is expected that the tariff of canal charges will be about five dollars, in gold, per ton. But this point has not yet been determined.

Pistols Used in the Burr-Hamilton Duel.

Yesterday we were permitted to handle the identical pistols used by Aaron Burr and Alexander Hamilton in the famous duel at Weehawken some decades of years ago. The pistols are now the property of Mr. Harry Armstrong, of the town of Newburgh. They have been for many years in the possession of Commodore Salter, U. S. N., of New York, recently deceased, and were turned over to Mr. Armstrong this week. They are of the old style of manufacture, flint locks, mahogany stock, the barrels carrying a half ounce ball. The barrels are of the "double and twist" make. They be a the mark of "J. Twiggs, London."

The pistols resemble each other exactly. The one which was used by Burr, and which sent the death-dealing bullet into the vitals of Hamilton, is distinguished from its mate by an X on the butt. These weapons, we are informed, have been used in some ten or a dozen other duels, besides the one which has made them historically famous. We are not informed how many lives have been sacrificed by the use of them. The last owner cleaned and fired them off once a month regularly. It is said that they never miss fire.—*Newburgh Jouraal*,

A CURIOUS incident (says an English paper) occurred the other day in the Upper House at Munich. The celebrated Catholic historian and high church dignitary, Dr. von Doellinger, having been made a senator by the King, was introduced into the Chamber and took the usual oaths, but on being required to produce some evidence of his baptism it appeared that he had no baptismal certificate. He knew when he was born, but when or where he was christened he was utterly unable to say. This caused no little amusement in the House, but as it was taken for granted that so eminent a member of the Catholic hierarchy must have been baptized, he was allowed to take his seat without further difficulty.

Washington Gossip.

It is now considered quite certain that gold contracts will be legalized by act of Congress before the final adjournment of the present session.

The committee of Congress on soldiers and sailors' bounties, furnishes the following statistics in reference to the additional bounty claims filed up to December 31st, 1868: Number paid, 399,027; rejected, 34,887; amount disbursed, $38,725,018. Of the claims from Pennsylvania; 32,555 were paid, 1,252 rejected, and $3,108.707 was the amount disbursed.

The decision of the Supreme Court restoring lawyer Bradley, who had been debarred by the Supreme Court of the district for insulting Judge Fisher on the bench and afterward challenging him, is creating a great deal of bitter comment among Republican lawyers, and they, with the Judges of the District Court, hold that the Supreme Court has no shadow of jurisdiction in the matter, and the probabilities are that no attention will be paid to the mandamus issued restoring Bradley, except to make known the opinion of the Court that it is not binding.

The House Committee on Territories are considering a proposition to reduce the number of our territories, and blot Utah out of existence, and the indications are that it will be favorably reported. They propose to divide Dakota between Nebraska and Minnesota, while Utah is to be divided between Colorado, Wyoming, Nevada and Idaho. The object of this scheme seems to be to solve the Mormon problem by indirection. This same question was discussed in the Committee of Elections last summer, on a contested seat case, but of course no action could be taken there.

The House bill repealing the Tenure-of-Office act was received, read twice, and referred to the Committee on Retrenchment, which is composed of Messrs. Edmunds, Williams, Patterson of New Hampshire, and Buckalew. The latter is the only Democrat on the Committee, and will, of course, go for the repeal. Mr. Williams is the author of the original bill, and has not yet indicated whether or not his views for its necessity have changed. It is not probable that the Committee will make any report on the subject until near the end of the session.

New York Items.

Matilda Herron, who has been lying at the point of death, is reported likely to recover.

Thurlow Weed has sold out his entire interest in the *Commercial*, it is stated, and arranged all his affairs, anticipating speedy death.

The *Evening Post* says of Butler's financial theory:

"If we are to have a law authorizing all debtors to cheat their creditors, let us make it simple. Butler's scheme is too complicated. It is as though a burglar should take the trouble to climb up on the roof of a house and crawl down the chimney when the door was open."

In the case of the American Lead Company before Judge Blatchford, in bankruptcy Wednesday, it was proved that it costs only one dollar and fifty cents per gross to manufacture the best lead pencils, which retail at ten cents each.

THE Hon. Edgar Cowan, who wae once elected to the United States Senate as a Republican, and subsequently became demoralized or Johnsonized, which means about the same thing, is recommended in the Philadelphia *Age* as a suitable Democratic candidate for the Pennsylvania Supreme Court Bdnch.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed of record before H. Snively, Esq., Recorder, January 11, 1869:

Wm. M. Darlington to Andrew Shutz et al, November 7, 1868; three lots on O'Hara st. Third ward, Allegheny, Nos. 27, 29 and 31 each 19 by 90 feet.....$1,850

Thomas Malter to Jacob Householder, January 11, 1869; lot on Juniata street, Sixth ward, Allegheny, 24 by 128 feet.....$900

John Brown to John C. Brown, Trustee, January 9, 1869; three tracts or lots of Lower St. Clair township.....$5,000

E. S. Murray to Susan Murray December 30, 1868; three acres of ground in Hampton township.....$150

J. N. De Garry to Robert Hall, December 6, 1866; lot No. 23 in Denny's plan, Rebecca street, First ward, Allegheny.....$700

Andrew Miller et al. to Hugh McFarren, December 29, 1868; lot on Ohio avenue, Fifth ward, Allegheny, 48 by 158 feet.....$ 000

Harvey H. Boyd to C. M. Deitrick, October 22, 1868; lots Nos. 29, 30, 31 and 32 in Fox's plan, Chartiers township.....$1,000

B. F. Fortno H. H. Boyd September 28, 1868; above described lots.....$1,000

W. J. Means to Cherubim Miller, December 22, '68; lots Nos. 19 and 20 in Means' plans, Federal lane, Allegheny City, each 24 by 108 feet.....$210

MORTGAGES.

Same day five mortgages were filed.

TUESDAY, January 12.

John Woolslayer to Joseph Corta, Nov. 6, 1868; lot in Liberty township, Woolslayer's plan, 40 by 143 feet.....$600

Mathias Voegtly to Jacob Franz, Sept. 15, 1868; lot in reserve township, 21 by 140 feet.....$250

Wm. Schlusker to John Herchenrother, Dec. 22, 1868; three acres of land in reserve township, with buildings.....$8,750

F. Ringley to Robert Wilson, Sept. 28, 1868; lot on Beaver street, sewickley borough, 47 by 173 feet, with buildings.....$1,500

Thos. King to Mary Miller, Nov. 15, 1868; lot on Harmony street, East Birmingham, 20 by 72 feet.....$1,830

W. P. Price to Geo. C. Miller, July 15, 1868; lot on the corner of pasture lane and Carroll street, 20 by 100 feet with buildings.....$700

David Dehaven to Joseph C. Baliff, June 27, 1867; lot on Boyle street, Third ward, Allegheny, 20 by 90 feet.....$600

Mathew Voeghtly to Jacob Knoble, Oct. 30, 1868; lot in Reserve township, 44 by 140 feet.....$1,300

Samuel P. Sm in to Wm. Movie, July 1, 1868; lot corner Bridge and Middle streets, Shapsburg, 40 by 88 feet.....$2,000

January 13, 1869.

George Goldback to Chas. Claus, December 29, 1868; lots Nos. 13 and 14, in Mount Oliver plan, on Coal Hill, 62 by 120 feet.....$2,750

Frank Kohne to Christian Obenhauser, November 14, 1868; six acres of land in the Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.....$1,800

Geo. Goldbach to Mary F. Sauers, November 25, 1868; lots Nos. 5 and 6 Mt. Oliver, Lower St. Clair township, 60 by 120 feet.....$1,200

Lawrence Krusek to Joseph Hammersmith, August 3, 1868; lot on Juniata street, Sixth ward, Allegheny, 22 by 48 feet.....$500

Jacob Muller to George Goldbach, November 14, 1868; lots 5 and 6, in plan of Mt. Oliver, Lower St. Clair township, 60 by 120 feet.....$1,000

Oth. Speer to D. R. Speer, June 4, 1868; two tracts of land in Indiana township, containing 9 acres, 1 rood and 19 perches.....$700

E. F. Lightner to the Western Pennsylvania Railroad Company, January 6, 1869; lot on corner of Lacock and Hope streets, Fourth ward Allegheny, 128 by 102 feet.....$17,000

C. H. Love to Adaline Clark, November 1, 1868; lots Nos. 98, 99, 100, 112 and 113, Love's plan, South Fayette township.....$1,000

F. A. Rebbeck to Geo. S. Fulmer, January 4, 1869; lot No. 37 Reiber's plan, on Spring street, Nineteenth ward, 40 by 104 feet.....$4,000

Mary E. Lutz to Anna Amelia Rankin et al., January 12, 1869; lot on Butler street, Fifteenth ward, Pittsburgh, 20 by 100 feet.....$1

M. M. Bucklaridge to A. P. Ormond, May 11, 1860; lots No 31 and 32 in plan of Tarentum, on Oberly street, 94 by 200 feet.....$110

Allen P. Ormond to George K. Ormond, December 9, 1868; the above described lots in Tarentum.$450

E. McKee to A. P. Ormond, April 4, 1857; lots Nos. 161 and 162, on Gallus street, Tarentum, 60 by 218 feet.....$1,000

A. P. Ormond to George K. Ormond December 9, 1868; the last above described lots.....$4,500

Trustees of Prospect Cemetery to A. P. Ormond, Nov. 26, 1864; lot No. 50, section C, in said Cemetery.....$40

A. P. Ormond to George K. Ormond, December 9, 1868; the above described lot.....$50

MORTGAGES.

Same day 11 mortgages were filed.

January 15, 1869.

McDonough Fesree to James Fitsimmons, January 16, 1869; lot in Shaler township, containing 5 acres.....$500

J. P. Trishler to John Bland, April 22, 1867, lots 114 and 115, Reineman's plan, on Tell street, Seventh ward, Allegheny.....$1,050

A. Reibein to John J. P. Feschier, November 7, 1863; lot 115, above described.....$225

Same to same, November 18, 1865; lot 114, above described.....$ 300

James Thackery to Mary Litteil, January 14, 1869; lots 62 and 67, inclusive, Donniston's plan, Twentieth ward, 18 by 181 feet.....$1,750

Joseph Klar to L. Benz, January 14, 1869; lots 13 and 14, Ormsby's plan, Lower St. Clair township.....$800

Charles W. Robo, executor to C. B. Kenny, December 26, 1868; one half interest in a lot on St. Clair street, Fourth ward, Pittsburgh, 20 by 100 feet.....$7,500

J. Almer to John O'Neil, January 15, 1869; tract of land in Jefferson township, containing 90 acres and 50 perches.....$7,275

Samuel Hood to Samuel Cooper, September 28; lot on Carroll street, Second ward, Allegheny, 15 by 100 feet.....$1,500

J. and A. Patterson to Samuel Hood, March 21, 1854; the above described lot.....$1,200

H. C. Reineman to Ed. Henda, July 27, 1867; lot in Oakland township, now Fourteenth ward, Pittsburgh, No. 6, Reineman's plan, on Shoot alley, 20 100 feet.....$150

Louis Meyer to Joseph Meyers, December 1, 1868; lot on Taylor avenue, 30 by 90 feet.....$4,000

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Ann Holdship and Agnes Holdship, verses Jane Campbell, Henry Campbell, Edward Campbell, Samuel S. Shields and Harriet Shields his wife, James C. Pearson and Wm. Wilson and Emily Wilson his wife, heirs of Jane Campbell: dec'd; George Knox, Wm. B. Knox, R. C. Dewey and Sarah Dewey his wife, James Knox, Martha Knox, Mrs. Ann M. Davidson and Jane K. McAllister, heirs of Hugh Knox, deceased: James Knox, George Knox and Smith Knox, heirs of William Knox, dec'd; James Knox, Samuel B. Knox, George Knox, Ann Armstrong, John M. Kirk, James S. Kirk, William F. Kirk, John Marshall and Nancy his wife, Daniel Kieser and Sarah D. his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Burnett, Philip Deltrich and Mary his wife, George F. Kirk, Aaron Brooks and Ann B. his wife, and William M. Doty and the issue of his wife Jane Doty, dec'd; Mercy Lowell, George Crosby, Mrs. Dodge and Hannah his wife, James Crownover, Robert Crownover, Lucretia Peasely, Almira Skenkle and Almira his wife, Mary Mann, John K. Bennett, Josephine S. Bennett, Isaac J. Bennett, George M. Bennett, Isaac Jenkinson, Wm. D. Frazee and Rebecca his wife, Thomas Minshall, George A. Minshall, Robt. P. Minshall and Byram L. Minshall, heirs of Geo. Knox, dec'd. Heirs at law of Agnes Knox, dec'd, late of the city of Pittsburgh.

Bill filed by plaintiffs for the partition or sale of the real estate of Agnes Knox, dec'd, late of the city of Pittsburgh, Pa., who died in 1854. The real estate consist of two lots on Fifth street, (now Fifth avenue) in the city of Pittsburgh, one fronting on Fifth avenue about one hundred feet and on Market street about thirty feet, and the other fronting on Fifth avenue about twenty-two feet and running back along Market alley about thirty feet; on which are erected one brick and three frame buildings. The heirs of William Knox, dec'd, who was a brother of Agnes Knox, and have the one-fifth interest in said property, are unknown. One of his sons, James, when last heard from, lived near Cincinnati, Ohio. The defendants above named are notified and required to cause an appearance to be entered for them in said Court and to answer said bill, on or before the 4th Monday of January, 1869, or in default thereof the bill will be taken *pro confesso*, and a decree made against them in their absence.

By order of Court, this the 2d day of January, A. D. 1869.

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Late Monthlies.—We have received from W. A. Gildenfenney, 45 Fifth avenue, the Atlantic Monthly for February; also, the new Tribune Almanac for 1869. This is a book that should be found in every house and counting room.

The Fourth Avenue sewer caved in at two places yesterday morning at its intersection with Smithfield street, involving the fall of a lamp post and a portion of the iron gutter covering. Cause: imperfect construction of the sewer.

Quite a revival of religion is now in progress in the First Methodist Church in Sharpsburg, under the pastoral care of Rev. T. H Colhoner. A number have already professed religion, and the meeting seems to be increasing in interest.

Residents in the lower portions of Allegheny have been in constant fear of a flood since the commencement of the mild weather. The prospects yesterday with the melting rain and an abundance of snow on the ground to be converted into water, was anything but encouraging.

Bank Election.—The following gentlemen have been elected to serve as Directors of the Fourth National Bank for the ensuing year; Messrs. Thomas Donnelly, Thomas Smith, N. J. Bigley, James M. Bailey, John M. Horner, John Mellon, T. J. Breveton, D. H. Toomy, W. H. Forsythe.

Clover and Timothy.—W. W. Knox, successor to J. Knox, of the extensive and well known agricultural depot, No. 137 Liberty street, announces that he has the largest stock of prime new seed in Western Pennsylvania. Dealers and others can be supplied at most reasonable rates.

Apprehended.—Chas, Schriner, the resident of Allegheny who was charged by his wife with desertion, before Mayor Drum, on Wednesday, was yesterday arrested by one of the Allegheny police in the Third ward. When brought to the Mayor's office he waived a hearing and gave bail for Court.

Trampled by Horses.—Thursday afternoon Mr. Ephraim Richardson, conductor on the Minersville Passenger Railway, while working around two of the horses, slipped, and falling under their feet, was severely trampled. He was removed to his residence on Fulton street, where his injuries received medical attention.

Post No. 121, G. A. R. of McKeesport, have installed the following officers for the ensuing term of six months: P. C., A. M. Kennedy; D. V. C., Wm. Wyant; J. V. C., Thomas H. Evans; Chaplain, John Baker; Adjutant, Wm. H. Gould; Quartermaster, Wm. McIntosh; Quartermaster Sergeant, George K. Strawn; O. D., George P. Dale; O. G., Thaddy Clymer.

Prime Oysters.—The oyster house of Thomas C. Martin & Co., Nos. 12 and 14 Fourth avenue, is growing rapidly popular, as the firm supply, at the lowest prices, the best shell, can and bucket oysters to be obtained in the city. They are sole agents for first class oyster dealers of Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York, and a trial of their bivalves is all that is necessary to prove their superiority.

Wife Desertion.—Mrs. Eliza Jane Bovard appeared before Alderman Donaldson several days since and made information against her husband, Hutchinson Bovard, for desertion. A warrant for the arrest of the alleged delinquent was placed in the hands of an officer, who succeeded in apprehending Hutchinson yesterday afternoon. After a hearing, the accused gave bail for his appearance at Court. The parties reside in the Ninth ward of this city.

False Pretence.—S. H. Watson made information before the Mayor yesterday charging Pat Gibbons with obtaining goods under false pretences. The prosecutor is a member of the firm of Watson & Co., corner Liberty and Wayne streets, and he alleges that the defendant, who resides in Clarion, Pa., obtained liquor to the amount of $246.51 by representing that he owned property in Sharon worth $4,000. A warrant was issued for the arrest of the accused.

The Singing Pilgrim.—Philip Philips, of New York, who has just returned from Europe, will give an evening's entertainment of sacred songs in one of the prominent churches of this city, on Monday evening, January 25th. This announcement will please the Christian community of all denominations for there is no more popular vocalist in this country, and his songs are all such as touch and elevate the heart. Further particulars will be given in due time.

Run Over—Mr. E. Fritchinson, one of the drivers of the sleighs which have been substituted for the Wylie street cars, was severely injured Thursday afternoon. The sleigh was proceeding down Fifth avenue, when one of the traces broke, and the jerk which followed threw Mr. Fritchinson to the ground in front of one of the runners which passed over his breast, arm and shoulder, producing severe though not dangerous injuries. The accident occurred in front of the old Theatre.

Blackguardism.—A few evenings since Mr. George W. Leonard was escorting a lady acquaintance home, and while passing along Fifth avenue he met two "roughs," one of whom struck the lady with his elbow as she passed him, seriously injuring her. Mr. Leonard made information yesterday before the Mayor, charging James McKenna, who he alleges is the person who committed the assault upon the lady, with assault and battery. A warrant was issued for his arrest. If he is guilty, we hope he may be convicted and severely punished, as such blackguardism is intolerable.

Narrow Escape.—Thursday afternoon, as several workmen were engaged in making an excavation on Dinwiddie street, Allegheny, under direction of the contractor for grading the thoroughfare, a large mass of earth from the embankment at one side fell in, nearly burying three of them. Thomas Cashmore had his arm badly bruised, and two others whose names we could not ascertain, were also severely though not dangerously injured. They were removed to their respective residences, and at last accounts were recovering.

About Smoking.—The habit of smoking is part and parcel of the American character, and the lovers of the delightful weed hereabouts are universal in their praise of the quality of cigars and tobacco always kept on hand at the popular headquarters of Mr. John Megraw, No. 45 Hand street. This house transacts annually an enormous business, and is constantly increasing its trade—the legitimate consequence of fair dealing, liberal advantages offered the trade and superiority of goods sold. Wholesale or retail patrons can purchase nowhere else to better advantage.

S. M. Kier & Co., at the Keystone Pottery, No. 363 Liberty street, have on hand a larger stock and better selection of queensware than can be found in any other establishment west of the Allegheny mountains. As they manufacture their own ware every piece is warranted to be just what it is represented, and it is certainly of a much finer quality than the same class of ware manufactured in the East. The custom of making queensware in gilt, which has become so fashionable of late, is done to order at their establishment in the highest style of the art, and at very reasonable rates.

ALLEGHENY COUNCILS.

Meeting for Organization—Returns Received—Members Sworn in—John Brown, Jr., Director of the Poor, Sworn into Office—Officers of Councils Elected.

The members and members elect of Allegheny City Councils assembled in the Select Council Chamber, at ten o'clock A. M. yesterday, (Friday,) for the purpose of receiving and considering the election returns of members of Councils elect and for Director of the Poor and taking action thereon, and likewise for the organization of the different branches of Councils for the ensuing year.

The meeting was called to order by Mr. John A. Myler, on whose motion Mr. J. C. Patterson, of the Select Council, was called to the Chair.

On motion of James McBrier, Messrs. George R. Riddle, from the Select, and H. M. Long, member elect to the Common Councils, were elected temporary clerks.

The returns for Director of the Poor were then read, from which it appeared that John Brown, Jr., had been elected.

For Select Council it appeared that Messrs. Callery and Morrison were elected to represent the Eighth ward, that being the only ward in which there was a vacancy for Select Councils, and the following gentlemen were declared elected to serve in Common Council:

FIRST WARD.
Alexander Hanna,
H. M. Long.
SECOND WARD.
Alfred Slack,
William Tate.
John Kirkpatrick.
THIRD WARD.
Otto Krebs,
G. F. Comley,
Samuel Hastings,
N. Voeghtley.
FOURTH WARD.
R. M. Blair,
John Megraw,
C. Kopp
H. McNeill.
FIFTH WARD.
S. S. D. Thomoson,
James Gilliland.
SIXTH WARD.
Henry Warner.
James H. Grenet.
SEVENTH WARD.
George Ober,
H. C. Reinman.
EIGHTH WARD.
Gotlieb Siedle,
Robert Porter.

It appeared from the return for members of Select Council from the Eighth ward that both were returned as having been elected for two years, and they both claimed the long term. After considerable discussion relative to the matter, Mr. McBrier, who contended that it was a matter for the consideration of Select Council alone, moved that all the members present have the oath of office administered to them.

The motion was adopted, and the roll of both Councils being called, all the members answered to their names, and the oath of office was then administered to them by Mayor Drum.

On motion, Mr. James McBrier and O. Phillips were appointed a Committee to wait upon the Director of the Poor elect and conduct him to the Council Chamber to receive the oath of office.

Mr. Brown was introduced and the oath of office administered by Mayor Drum.

On motion, the joint session adjourned and the members of Common Council adjourned to their own chamber for organization.

Select Council.

When Common Council had retired, the temporary Chairman announced that the first business in order was the election of a permanent Chairman for Select Council.

On motion of Mr. John A. Myler, Mr. James McBrier, President of last Councils, was elected by acclamation.

Upon taking the Chair Mr. McBrier thanked Councils for the honor conferred upon him, and hoped that the pleasant relations which had existed during the past year would be continued during the present term. He called the attention of Councils to the question of sewerage assessments, which he said was one of the most unpleasant matters which would be likely to agitate Councils during the present year, and urged the members to give it a careful consideration. He also referred to the importance of members of Committees attending to the duties of their appointment, and not relying upon the Chairman as it was customary for them to do.

After some further remarks he announced that the first business in order was the

ELECTION OF A CLERK.

Mr. English nominated D. Macferren.

The President then read a communication from Mr. Macferron, declining to be a candidate for re-election.

Mr. J. C. Patterson nominated Mr. J. R. Oxley.

Mr. Phillips inquired whether Mr. Macferren had posetively declined to accept the nomination.

The President so understood the communication.

Mr. Oxley was then elected by acclamation.

Mr, A. M. Husselbaugh was unanimously elected as Messenger.

The rules of order governing the last Councils were, on motion, re-adopted for the ensuing year.

Mr. Myler offered a resolution, which was adopted, providing that a meeting of Councils be held on Tuesday evening for the election of city officers.

The question of the term for which the members from the Eighth ward had been elected, was called up, on a motion by Mr. English, that the member who received the highest number of votes serve during the two year term, and the other the one year term.

An amendment was offered that each of the parties be declared elected for two years.

The members interested voted on the question, and a point of order was raised that they had no right to vote on the matter. The question was submitted to a vote of Council, and it was decided that they had no right to vote.

The question was then taken on the amendment, and it was adopted by a vote of seven yeas to four nays, thus admitting the gentlemen as members for two years.

Council then adjourned.

Common Council.

After the business of the joint session had been concluded, the members of Common Council retired to their Chamber, where a temporary organization was effected by calling Mr. Alex. Hanna to the chair, and appointing N. Voeghtly clerk.

The President stated that nominations for permanent President of the Council were in order.

Mr. Tate nominated Alfred Slack, of the Second ward.

Mr. Grenet nominated Henry Warner, of the Sixth ward.

On motion, nominations closed. A vote being taken, by calling the roll, Mr. Slack received thirteen votes and Mr. Warner eight.

Mr. Slack was accordingly declared the choice of Councils, and his election was, on motion, made unanimous.

The election of Clerk was next in order.

Mr. Tate nominated Robert Dilworth.

There being no other nomination, Mr. Dilworth was unanimously elected.

Mr. Hanna moved that Mr. Husselbaugh be chosen Messenger of Common Council. Carried.

Mr. Hanna moved that the Clerk be instructed to notify Select Council that Common Council was organized and ready for the transaction of business. Carried.

Mr. Megraw moved that the rules governing Councils during the past year be adopted by the present Councils for their Government. Carried.

Mr. Megraw offered a resolution that when Councils adjourn, the members be requested to re-assemble in caucus, on Monday evening, January 18, 1869, for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for city officers. Adopted. S. C. non-concurred and laid the resolution on the table.

On motion, Council adjourned.

Gambling House.

John N. McKee made information before the Mayor, yesterday, charging Pat. Williams and Francis Tiernan with keeping a gambling house. The accused, it is alleged, keep an establishment at No. 76 Fourth avenue, where gambling is permitted and engaged in. Whether the prosecutor, Mr. McKee, was "bucking" against "faro," or some of the other innocent (?) games which he alleges are played there, we cannot infer, as it is not so stated in the information,

Fire on Wood Street.

About six o'clock last evening a fire was discovered in the establishment of Jno. L. Dawes, 153 Wood street, painter, and dealer in druggists' glass ware. The building was a brick four stories high, and the fire orginated in the third story, which was used as a paint shop, and in which there was a quantity of paints, oils, varnishes, and a can of benzine. It is supposed that the fire was caused by the explosion of the can of benzine, which had been left near the stove. A considerable time elapsed after the fire was discovered before the alarm was given, and as a consequence the flames had made considerable progress before the steamers arrived. Owing to the inflammable material in the room where the fire originated, it was some time before the water, which was thrown into the building in a perfect deluge, appeared to have any effect upon the fire, and more than an hour elapsed before the flames were subdued. The fire was confined to the building in which it it originated, and did no further damage except to that portion of it above the third floor. The roof was burnt off and the fourth floor burned out, and the greater portion of the material, paints, oils, &c., on the third floor, were destroyed. The greatest damage, however, was caused by the water. The trunk and harness factory of Mr S. Stewart, No. 155, which adjoins Dawes' establishment, was slightly damaged by water, as was also the stock of Mr. W. D. Rinehart, tobacconist, whose establishment, 151, adjoins it on the other side. The building in which the fire was is owned by H. W. Oliver, and was insured as follows: In the Merchants and Manufacturers Company, $2,000; Boatmen's, $2,000; Cash, $2,000; total, $6,000.

Mr. Dawes' loss is estimated at $2,000, and is insured for $3,000, in the following companies: Pittsburgh Insurance Company, $1,000, United States of Baltimore, $1,000; Commonwealth of Philadelphia, $1,000.

According to Mr. Dawes' statement, the fire was caused by a kettle of cement, which had been left standing upon the stove, boiling over and taking fire.

The alarm was given from box 17, corner of Sixth avenue and Wood street. The officer who gave it was at the head of Seventh avenue when he heard the cry of fire, and consequently ten or fifteen minutes must have elapsed after the fire was discovered before the alarm was received at the central office. The key, which had been left in the drug store near the box, could not be found, and there appeared to be no police officer in the vicinity.

A Flour Difficulty.

A. M. Ewing made information yesterday, before Alderman McMasters, against James Irwin for larceny as bailee. Irwin is patentee and producer of the flour known as the "self raising." Ewing, who owns a store in Mansfield, alleges that he called at Irwin's establishment to get a barrel of the article for trial, but there was none on hand at the time. He states, however, that he ordered a barrel of it to be shipped to him at Mansfield, paying in advance eleven dollars and fifty cents, the price of the flour, which was to be shipped in an hour or so. He further states that he waited several hours, days and weeks, but the flour came not. Several times he called at the store, according to his allegations, and was informed each time that none was on hand then, but would be in an hour, when the shipment according to contract would be made. Getting impatient, at last he says he determined to make one more call and get either flour or money, in pursuance of which design he called at the establishment, but found it closed, and a neatly printed notification tacked upon the door to the effect that the next sale at the place would be under the supervision of the county sheriff. After thinking over the matter for some time his cogitations led him to enter prosecution as stated. Irwin was promptly arrested by officer Blondin, and made his appearance at the Alderman's office, where he gave bail for trial. Of course this is but one side of the story, as the other has not been heard yet.

Bold Highway Robbery.

A few nights since, as Mr. Jacob Wildemuth, a resident of the Fourth ward, Allegheny, was crossing the Railroad Bridge, he was set upon by three villains, one of whom caught him by the throat and held his hands, a second clapped a handkerchief to his mouth, thus preventing an outcry, while the third leisurely ransacked his pockets, taking his pocket-book, which contained all the money he had, and a number of smaller articles of inconsiderable value. The operators, after going through their victim in this professional style, released him and made off before an alarm could be raised. The transaction occurred between eight and nine o'clock in the evening, near the Pittsburgh end of the bridge, and almost within a stone's throw of one of our most frequently traveled thoroughfares. The men came upon Mr. Wildemuth so suddenly that he was unable to distinguish them sufficient to furnish a clue which might lead to their detection. The operation so bold and daring in its execution is a forcible reminder of the famous achievements which have made the names of Dick Turpin, Claude Duval and Sixteen String Jack so celebrated in the romances of the road.

Mortuary Report.

Dr. A. G. M'Candless, Physician to the Board of Health, reports the following interments in the city of Pittsburgh for the week commencing January 3d and ending January 10, 1869:

Males.....18	White.....27	Total.....	29
Females....11	Colored..... 2		

The following were the diseases: Disease of heart, disease of stomach, gangrene, old age, dropsy, scarlatina, typhoid fever, abscess of ear, diphtheria, hydrocephalus, measles, one each; bronchitis, nervous fever, disease of liver, disease of lungs, two each; consumption, convulsions, three each; pneumonia, four.

Of the above there were: Under one year, four; from one to two, five; from two to five, two; from five to fifteen to twenty, one; from twenty to thirty, four; from thirty to forty, one; from forty to fifty, three, from fifty to sixty, three; from sixty to seventy, four; from seventy to eighty, two.

Fearful Fall.—A frightful accident occurred in Monongahela Borough yesterday, which will probably result in the death of Mary Burk, aged fifteen years, a resident of that borough. It appears that she was engaged in picking up coal on the side of the hill, about fifty feet above the Panhandle railroad track, and at a point where the the descent is almost perpendicular. Losing her footing she fell over the precipice, striking head foremost on a rock, twenty-five feet below, and then slid twenty-five feet further to the railroad track. She was taken up insensible and carried to her home, and Dr. Hewett, of No. 15 Smithfield street, was called to attend her. On examination it was discovered that her skull was severely fractured, and that she was suffering from congestion of the brain. There is scarcely a possibility of her recovery.

Newspaper Change.—The *Evening Mail* has passed into the hands of Messrs. Caldwell and Krepo, both experienced and competent journalists. In retiring from the editorial charge and proprietorship, Mr. B. T. Campbell carries with him the respect of the entire community. He labored long and zealously to place the *Mail* on its present footing, and demonstrated what may be done with well directed energy and enterprise. We have not heard what journal Mr. Campbell intends to connect himself with, but know he will prove a valuable acquisition to any paper that may secure his services. We wish the new firm that abundant success they are deserving.

Amusements.

OPERA HOUSE.—The engagement of Mr. and Miss Couldock, at the Opera House, closed last evening, on which occasion they took a benefit. The audience was a large and appreciative one, and the entertainment most excellent, as are all entertainments with which Mr. and Miss Couldock are connected. At the Matinee this afternoon the "Octoroon" will be presented. This evening Harry Hotto, the favorite commedian, takes a benefit. A versatite and attractive bill is announced and Harry's numerous friends will, doubtless, evince their appreciation of his valuable services in a substantial way.

THEATRE.—Harry Williams, the enterprising manager of the old Theater, has renewed his engagement with the Gregory troupe for at least another week. During the two weeks they have been here they have played to full houses every night and will continue to do so for a week longer if they should remain.

Little Bessie Gregory, the commediene of the troupe, is a charming young creature and has made a host of friends. She is not the only attraction, however, but there are so many we have not space to particularize.

MUSEUM.—Major Burnell continues to add new attractions to his excellent collection of novelties at Franklin Hall, Fifth avenue, and has now a first class museum. This establishment is one of the most popular places of amusement in the city, and is liberally patronized.

ORPHANS' FAIR.—The contest at the Fair last night for a gold watch to the most popular gentlemen resulted in favor of Mr. H. Freyfogle, who received about one thousand dollars worth of votes. Capt. N. J. Bigley closely followed, and Mr. Cunningham came third on the list. Mr. Walter Kirkpatrick, a clever conductor on the Pennsylvania Railroad, carried away in triumph the set of lanterns contested for the most popular conductor.

Personal.

As will be seen by reference to the report of the proceedings of the Allegheny Councils, Mr. D. Macferron, who for fifteen years served the city of Allegheny well and faithfully in the capacity of clerk to Select Council, declined to accept the office for the ensuing year. Mr. Macferron was a most efficient as well as faithful officer, and performed his official duties with a grace and dignity which mark the true gentleman. He was affable and courteous to all, and thereby made a host of friends, whose best wishes for his future welfare and happiness will accompany him through time. Newspaper reporters in particular will long remember him for the many courtesies and kindnesses he has extended to the craft, and as a class will regret his retirement from the office more than any others. Mr. Oxley, his successor, is a gentleman in every respect, fully competent to discharge the duties pertaining to the office, and will doubtless make a very popular and efficient officer. We know of no one, since Mr. Macferron has declined, better fitted to occupy the position so ably filled by him, than the man Council has chosen as his successor.

Dentistry as a Science.

Dr. George W. Spencer, whose well known and largely patronized dental establishment and parlors are at No. 258 Penn street, has, perhaps, more than any of his contemporaries in the State, contributed largely to the advancement of the science of dentistry. His skill and ability are everywhere recognized and his professional reputation is by no means limited to our own locality. He is careful to afford the amplest satisfaction to all who direct towards him a share of their patronage, and his superior workmanship has never been questioned. The establishment over which he presides is universally regarded as headquarters for artificial teeth, artificial eyes, for the repairing of teeth and all work in that line. We can most cordially commend him to our readers as in every way competent and worthy their utmost confidence.

The Lecture To-Night.

To-night John B. Gough will deliver his celebrated lecture on "Temperance," in the Academy of Music. The sale of reserved seats commenced last evening, but on account of the inclemency of the weather, a large number of persons were prevented from being present, and thus some of the choicest seats remain unsold. Those wishing to secure them will appreciate this notification and see the necessity of being on hand early this morning. The seats may be secured during the day at Lafayette Hall for this evening's lecture, and that of Monday evening on "Habit." On Monday the box sheet office will be removed to the Library, corner of Sixth and Penn streets.

A Conspicuous Advertisement.

Elsewhere we print a conspicuous advertisement of the old and established first-class drug house of Mr. Simon Johnston, corner of Fourth avenue and Smithfield street. At this store the purchaser will find a splendid stock of imported goods, brought direct from Europe, which embraces the celebrated Squires', London, effervescing preparations, Sarg's Vienna soaps, and a full line of extracts, perfumeries and toilet articles. The rich assortment will certainly prove attractive to the ladies, more especially as the prices are very reasonable. Do not fail to read the card, which is a neat specimen of electro-typing, found on our fifth page, and then favor the house with a visit of inspection.

Alice vs. Fanny.

Alice Hall and Fanny Splane, who, in one respect at least are unlike Ceasar's wife, had a little misunderstanding some time ago which resulted in their appearance at Alderman McMasters' office yesterday afternoon. The origin of the affair dates back to the 13th day of July, 1868, when according to the allegations of Alice, Fanny obtained from her a gold ring valued at ten dollars and a skirt valued at four dollars, which she has kept since and still refuses to return. After a long and spicy debate in the magistrate's office between the two, Fanny gave bail for her appearance at Court to answer a prosecution for larceny as bailee.

Alleged False Pretence.

G. W. Barchett made information before Alderman McMasters yesterday, against John Ruckrigle for false pretence. The prosecutor alleges that the defendant sold him a saloon, located on Smithfield street, for $1,225, receiving $800 in cash and a judgment note for $425, representing at the time of the sale that the saloon was free of all debts and no claims against it whatever. These statements the prosecutor alleges are not true, as he has been paying bills contracted by Ruckrigle ever since taking possession of his purchase. A warrant was issued for the arrest of Ruckrigle and placed in the hands of officer Blondin.

Free Literature.

If the merit of a work may be estimated from the universality of its reception, the "Pittsburgh Real Estate Register," as a reference, has a claim to the first honors of local publications. It is published by the enterprising Real Estate Agents and Brokers, Croft & Phillips, No. 139 Fourth avenue, and contains descriptions of such a vast amount of property of all kinds and locations that the most fastidious cannot fail to get suited in a home. Those of our readers interested, who have not procured a copy, can obtain one *gratis* by calling at their office as above, or they will be sent by mail *free* to any address. "A word to the wise is sufficient."

A Popular Drug Store.

One of the most popular drug stores in our vicinity is that of which Mr. J. T. Sample is proprietor, located at the corner of Federal and Robinson streets, Allegheny. A reason for its popularity may be found in the fact that, aside from being well and carefully managed, there is kept constantly on hand a large and judiciously selected assortment of everything sold in a first-class drug and prescription house, which is disposed of at prices of the most reasonable character. Mr. Sample also has a choice and varied stock of fancy articles for the toilet, such as combs, tooth, hair, and nail brushes, soaps, handsome toilet sets, &c., &c., in large quantities and styles to suit the taste and purse of every purchaser. Those of our Allegheny readers who desire anything in his line would do well to give him a call, as we feel confident that they will be satisfied with any purchase they may make at this establishment.

The Styles.

What a wonderful thing is fashion. A mere creature of fancy, an airy nothing created into shape, to suit the imagination, and dependent upon the fickle tastes of the world for its life. It is a wonderful thing, nevertheless, and is studied, courted and followed, as though it were something permanent. As an evidence of this fact it is only necessary to refer our readers to the popular and fashionable establishment of W. W. Moorehead, No. 81 Market street, dealer in trimmings and lace goods, where all the latest styles of goods in his line are to be found, as they will find that the styles, notwithstanding their frequent changes, are kept up with. This fact, it appears, is generally known, however, as there is always a rush at Moorhead's, because we presume he keeps the latest and best styles of goods.

The Continental.

There is no city in the United States, perhaps, where the wants of the inner man are more properly considered and cared for than in the Iron City, and we speak advisedly, when we assert that in no part of the city is there a restaurant, or dining establishment more properly conducted than Holtzheimer's Continental Dining Rooms, Fifth avenue, one door west of the Postoffice. Everything the market and season affords may be obtained at this favorite resort, and is served in a style to defy competition. Holtzheimer is a model proprietor and is highly appreciated by the public.

Lecture in Fayetteville.—Rev. J. D. Turner, of "Union" Church, will lecture in the M. E. Church in Fayetteville, North Fayette township, on Friday evening, January 22d. The gentleman is well known as an excellent pulpit orator, and a rare treat may be expected. His subject will be "Water." This lecture was announced for January 20th, but the time has been changed to the 22d. The lecture will be free, and the public are respectfully invited to attend.

How often do you hear the complaint from mother and father that their son or daughter is not well; that they have no appetite; that they feel languid; that their head aches; that they are growing thin and feeble, and that they have no life or energy left. That they are low-spirited, and perfectly incapacitated to participate in any pleasures, or perform any mental or physical duty. And the question is often asked, what shall I do for them? or, what shall I give them? Our answer is, let them try PLANTATION BITTERS moderately three times a day, and our word for it they will recover.

MAGNOLIA WATER.—Superior to the best imported German Cologne, and sold at half the price. TH.S.T.F.

Furs, Furs.—Ladies, misses and Children's Furs, superior goods, closing out cheap, at J. M. Carr's, 118 Federal street.

The best and Original Tonic of Iron, Phosphorus and Calisaya, known as Caswell, Mack & Co's Ferro Phosphorated Elixir of Calisaya Bark. The Iron restores color to the blood, the Phosphorus renews waste of the nerve tissue, and the Calisaya gives a natural healthful tone to the digestive organs, thereby curing dyspepsia in its various forms, Wakefulness, General Debility and Depression of Spirits. Manufactured only by Caswell, Hazard & Co., New York. Sold by all druggists. 8

An Extended Popularity.—"Brown's Bronchial Troches" have been before the public many years. Each year finds them in new localities in various parts of the world. The Troches are pronounced universally superior to all other articles used for similar purposes. For relieving Coughs, Colds and Throat Diseases, the Troches have been *proved* reliable.

The finest assortment of oil and gas chandeliers to be found in the city is at the wholesale and retail establishment of Messrs. Weldon & Kelly, corner of Wood street and Virgin alley. The stock embraces all the latest and most fashionable styles and is marked down to the lowest margin over cost.

Honor to Whom Honor is Due —*No scale in the State* has weighed more loads, or more satisfactorily, than Keeler's Railroad Track Scale at the New Buena Vista Coal Works, during eight years past.

CHAS. H. ARMSTRONG.

Pittsburgh, January 15, 1869.

Shaving, Hair Dressing or Bathing.—No better place for either than at the finely furnished apartments of H. B. Williamson, No. 190 Federal street, Allegheny. 8

Burnett's Cocoaine dresses the hair perfectly, without greasing, drying or stiffening it. tːthːW

See advertisement in regard to the great closing out sale, at J. M. Carr's, 118 Federal street, Allegheny.

Kenwood Boarding School for Boys.—Four vacancies on January 6th. Apply to Rev. J. P. Taylor, New Brighton, Pa. 2w.

At 15 cents, Ladies' Tucked Handkerchiefs. At 20c Gents' Hem Stitched Handkerchiefs, at J. M. Carr's.

A most complete stock of fine Broche Shawls at Bates & Bell's.

Ask your Grocer for Marvin's superior Spiced Jumbles. eod2w

Black Thibet Shawls, every grade, long and square. at J. M. Carr's, 118 Federal street.

Prime Canned Fruits and Vegetables, at the lowest rates, at 112 Federal street, Allegheny. 4t

Corsets of the best makes and all sizes, Bates & Bell's.

Blankets, clean and nice, as cheap as soiled ones, at J. M. Carr's, 118 Federal street.

Good Roasted and Cream Almonds, at 112 Federal street, Allegheny. 4t

Ladies' Merino and Muslin Underclothing at Bates & Bell's.

All kinds Cotton Goods, cheap, at J. M. Carr's, 118 Federal street.

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Good Styles Prints, 12½c, at J. M. Carr's, 118 Federal street.

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CARSON—McCLOY—Thursday evening, January 14th, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. D. Clarke, D. D., assisted by Joseph Kerr, Miss LIDA McCLOY to THOMAS H CARSON, both of Allegheny City.

[The happy young couple are tendered our warmest congratulations on their entry into a new sphere of life. We pray that their pathway through life be liberally strewn with the flowers of love, peace and contentment, and that no dark clouds of misfortune may ever hide the sunshine of prosperity from their view. May they know nothing but joy and happiness, and may naught dissolve the holy vows they have made unto each other but the hand of death, for which may they ever be prepared. May God bless the union.]

DIED:

HIPBEL—Very Rev. J. HIPBEL, Vicar General of the Diocese of Pittsburgh and Pastor of St. Mary's (German) Church, Allegheny, died at a quarter to 2 P. M. on Wednesday, 13th inst.

The Pontifical High Mass of Requiem will begin on SATURDAY, 9 A. M., after which the funeral will take place.

DOGAN—On Thursday morning, January 14th, at 4:15 o'clock A. M., MARY, daughter of John and Celle Dogan, aged 19 years.

Funeral will take place on SATURDAY at 9 o'clock A. M., from her late residence, No. 137 Washington street.

REA—Thursday morning, at Freedom Beaver county, Pa., SARAH A. GRIBEN, wife of Henry Rea, Sr.

Funeral will leave Federal street Depot on arrival of cars, at 10:33 SATURDAY MORNING. Carriages at Depot to proceed to Allegheny Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

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